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Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Senator SCOTT and Representative MAYNARD called on the President today and laid before him the evidence taken by the Committee which recently visited Florida, and they asked of him a suspension of the writ of habeas corpus in Jackson County, which the evidence showed to be entirely in the hand of the Kuklux. The assassination of J. Q. DICKINSON, in this county, was mentioned in these dispatches some days since. His diary was obtained by the Committee, and is said to contain much that is intesesting in this connection. There are several of the witnesses from this county, who were before the Committee, that dare not return home till they are afforded the protection of the United States authorities. The President did not indicate whether he would issue the proclamation, but Messrs. SCOTT and MAYNARD are very sure that the evidence would warrant him in doing so.

SOUTH CAROLINA.

The Debt Statement of the State Treasurer—Opening of the Kuklux Trials at Columbia.

CHARLESTON, S. C., Nov. 27.—A committee of influential citizens, including Hon. J. D. POPE and Ex-Gov. ORR, publish the result of their examination of the Treasurer's debt statement, which they find correct. The Committee report that the total debt of South Carolina is $11,995,306, exclusive of $6,000,000 owing in New-York. The American Bank Note Company certify that they have in their possession $6,000,000 of sterling funding bonds, and Gov. SCOTT has instructed them to print no more bonds or stocks of any kind for this State.

The Kuklux trials began at Columbia at 10 o'clock this morning, Judges BOND and BRYAN on the bench. District-Attorney CORBIN acted for the Government, and Hon. REVERDY JOHNSON for the defense. There was a large number of spectators. Mr. CORBIN challenged the whole array of jurors, on the ground of fatal irregularities in drawing. Mr. JOHNSON argued that the objection was purely technical. Judge BOND said the Court could not proceed, because there was only nine jurors present, and he desired to consult on the question raised by Mr. CORBIN. The Court adjourned until 11 o'clock to-morrow.

CUBA.

Desecration of a Grave by Students of the Royal University in Havana—Action of the Enraged Volunteers—The Students to be Tried.

HAVANA, Nov. 27.—Last Thursday afternoon, a number of the medical students of the Royal University jumped the walls of the cemetery, and proceeded to demolish the grave of GONZALO CASTANON, and committed other excesses. The chaplain attempted to remonstrate, but the students stoned him away. On Saturday, the Governor of Havana visited the University, and demanded of the medical class the names of the culprits. All of the students remained silent, and the case was then turned over to the Court. Several students then testified, and six members of the class were found guilty and sent to prison, and so confined that communication with one another or with persons outside was impossible. The Court temporarily detained forty-two others who are suspected of complicity in the act. The Court is working actively in the case, and, with the aid of the authorities, will soon have before it all the guilty ones, who will be punished as severely as the law permits.

Gen. CRESPO yesterday reviewed the volunteers of this city and neighborhood, who made a fine display. Shortly after the parade irregular groups of volunteers assembled and soon assumed large proportions. One body numbering several hundred assembled before the Palace; another near the Tacon Theatre, and a third around the jail, all demanding the lives of the young men implicated in the desecrations of GONZALO CASTANON'S grave. Crowds of volunteers running through the streets were ordered to join their companions. Shouts of "Death to the traitors" were given. Acting Captain-General CRESPO positively refused to deliver up the prisoners, stating that the law must take its course. About 11 P. M. the volunteer officers got their men in order and under full control, battalion after battalion marching toward the jail, and at 2 o'clock this morning a Court-martial, composed of officers of the regular and volunteer forces, assembled to try the prisoners. The Court-martial is still in session. The city is quiet. The volunteers continue guarding the jail, awaiting the result of the trial.

MEXICO.

Fighting Still in Progress at Saltillo—Other Movements.

MATAMORAS, Nov. 27—via NEW-ORLEANS, Nov. 27.—The revolutionists, under Gen. TREVINO, attacked Saltillo on the 5th. Fighting is yet going on. Gen. ROCHA is advancing from San Luis Potosi with strong Government forces, and is within aiding distance. Gen. TREVINO is reported to be short of ammunition. Communication is entirely cut off beyond Mier. Three hundred reinforcements for Matamoras are expected by sea from Vera Cruz.

DISASTERS AT SEA.

Collision off the Irish Coast—Nine Men Missing—The Negress Again Afloat—Rescue of a Crew.

LONDON, Nov. 27.—A collision occurred last night off the Irish coast between the ships *Marmion* and *Oceola*. The latter sunk very soon after she was struck. Several of her crew escaped by jumping on board the *Marmion*, but nine men are missing. It is hoped they saved themselves in one of the boats. The ship *Negreta*, for Havana, which went ashore in the recent gales, has got afloat, and will be saved.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, Nov. 27.—The crew of the brigantine *Mary A. Davis*, of Portland, Me., which foundered in latitude 31° while on the way from Sombrero to Philadelphia, have arrived at this port on the brig *Mankus*. Three of the wrecked crew are on board the *Orsial*, bound to Philadelphia.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

The Civil Service Commission and its Critics—The Printers and Franklin—Miscellaneous.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—It is yet too soon to criticise the report of the Civil Service Commission, as some papers are doing. Since no report has yet been made or presented to the President, all that has been done thus far is to present for consideration the outline of the scheme which the Commission is now engaged in perfecting. When this system is ready to be laid formally before the President and Cabinet, it will be accompanied by a report from the Commission, which is yet to be prepared, in which the bearings and effect of the scheme will be discussed, and the conclusions which have resulted in the adoption of this scheme will be set forth. The friends of civil service reform need only exercise a little patience. The progress thus far made warrants the assertion that important results are not so far in the future nor so impossible as some pretend to believe. The feeling among those who will have to do with it when it is inforced, is growing better and stronger every day, and the man most determined about it is the President. This is the most cheering sign in the whole situation on this subject.

A BUST OF FRANKLIN.

The printers of the Government Printing-office will, on Wednesday next, Nov. 29, dedicate a bust of FRANKLIN in the Government office. The bust is by a Washington artist named FLANNERY. A young man of some genius, who made the Lincoln which surmounts the column in front of the City Hall.

PERSONAL.

Gen. GARFIELD is among the recent arrivals of members of Congress, and has resumed his residence at the corner of Thirteenth and I streets. He responds to all inquiries as to whether he is to be Chairman of the Committee of Ways and Means with the frank remark that, if he is, he does not know it. Among other arrivals are Representatives LOWE, of Kansas, and SYPHER, of Louisiana. The Court of Claims will begin its session next Monday. Chief Justice DRAKE has arrived, and is ready to resume his judicial labors.

Dispatch to the Associated Press.

APPOINTMENTS AND CONFIRMATIONS.

The following appointments in the New-York Custom-house have been confirmed at the Treasury Department: John J. O'Brien, Weigher; M. C. Hart, Storekeeper; Charles Camberson, Inspector; S. J. Burr, Clerk.

The following Internal Revenue appointments were made today: Eugene B. Moore, Gauger, Ninth Illinois District; Joseph D. Keebaugh, Third Missouri, and J. S. Sage, Seventeenth Kentucky; George MacNoe, Storekeeper, Thirtieth New-York, and George S. Moss, Assistant Assessor, Twenty-fourth New-York.

ANOTHER DEMOCRATIC DOCTOR.

Hon. Daniel W. Voorhees' Prescription for the Democracy—A Convention to Discover Saving Principles and a Candidate.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Nov. 27.—Hon. DANIEL W. VOORHEES, in a card published in the *Journal*, of this city, proposes an important Democratic Party movement. He says: "I keenly appreciate the importance of an authoritative expression of the principles which are to guide us in the future, as in the past. It should be made too at an early date in order that an organization shall be perfected and confidence restored by the time the approaching campaign is upon us. This, however, should be the work of a National Convention embracing delegates from all the States. I am in favor of calling such a Convention at some central point in the West on a day not later than the 22d of February next. The call should be issued by the National Executive Committee, and delegates should be appointed by State and District Conventions. The business of this body should be to carefully and patiently weigh all views laid before it, and to agree upon and publish a clear, definite declaration of principles upon all matters affecting the political welfare of the people and the safety of our free institutions. This being done it should adjourn to a day fixed for the nomination of a candidate for the Presidency. In the meantime the people of the States can discuss, approve or disapprove of what has been done. It would be the duty of all Democrats taking part in politics to submit to the voice of the majority. If there are such as prefer their own convictions even to the platform of a National Convention, they can step aside in quiet without embarrassing anybody else. Let us, however, have political as well as personal harmony, and success is within our reach. If the entire Democratic vote can be consolidated, inspired with enthusiasm, and brought to the polls, Gen. GRANT cannot be re-elected. It was the voters in our party that stayed at home on the days of the late election, which wrought such wide-spread defeat. There is no increase of the Republican vote. I make the above suggestion, knowing that it is entirely practicable, and that it meets an urgent demand of the present crisis. I shall respectfully urge it upon the attention of the National Executive Committee, and ask for it the favorable consideration of conservative men everywhere."

THE WEATHER.

Synopsis and Probabilities.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 27—7 P. M.—The low barometer which was Sunday afternoon between Lakes Erie and Ontario, is now south of the Bay of Fundy. South-westerly winds on the Middle and Eastern States have veered to brisk north-west. Partially cloudy and threatening weather prevails from Tennessee to Lake Michigan, and south-eastward to Texas, and clearing weather from Virginia to Maine; as also from Wisconsin northward, where the highest barometer now exists. Threatening weather, with southerly winds and rising barometer is reported from the Pacific coast.

PROBABILITIES.

Brisk north-westerly winds will probably diminish to-night and veer to north-east in the Middle and Eastern States by Tuesday noon; pleasant weather prevail in the south Atlantic States; an area of low barometer develop west of the Mississippi, with cloudy and threatening weather extending eastward to the Blue Ridge. Partially cloudy weather, with light winds, prevail on the lakes.

WARNING SIGNALS ORDERED.

Cautionary signals continue at Cape May, Norfolk, New-York and New-London.

SNOW FALLS.

The following was collected from dispatches received at the signal office today: Snow fell this morning at Buffalo, N. Y., and Corinne, Utah. At the same time it was sleeting at Oswego and Rochester, N. Y. It was snowing at Leavenworth, Kansas, and Rochester, N. Y., at 5 o'clock this evening. At the summit of Mount Washington, N. H., at 5 o'clock P. M., the weather was clearing up. The wind was blowing from the west at a velocity of forty-five miles an hour, and the thermometer registered 8° above zero, a fall since 5 o'clock yesterday evening of 24°. At Duluth, Minn., this morning at 7 o'clock, the thermometer registered 10° below zero. At Cairo, Ill., the thermometer has fallen 39° in the last twenty-four hours, and at Memphis, Tenn., and Nashville, Tenn., 34° in the same time.

A dispatch from Omaha and dated the 25th says: "Snow fell to the depth of one foot, last night on the Laramie plains. All passenger-trains are on time today. Passengers from the East crossed the river this morning on the boat."

LOUISIANA.

Decay of New-Orleans—Absurd System of Taxation—The Schools—Reform Movement.

From Our Own Correspondent.

NEW-ORLEANS, Tuesday, Nov. 21, 1871.

This once great metropolis and cotton mart of the South is fast losing its prestige and position owing to increase of taxation, and enormous and rapidly-growing debt, a falling off of business, and an oppressive license system all combining to keep away enterprise and capital. I hear on all sides the cry of despondency over the prevailing state of affairs. Real estate cannot be sold for fifty per cent. of its actual value, and prominent land and property-holders say that if they could sell for one-half of the estimated value of their possessions they would sell out and leave this tax-burdened State. The debt of both State and city is increasing, and unless something is done to relieve the people, and that very soon, there can be no other result than bankruptcy. Many still talk of repudiation, but the majority of our citizens favor reform in all the branches of the State and City Government. One of the greatest evils existing here, which does more than anything else to drive away the capital so greatly needed, is the system of taxing trades, professions and all classes of business. Every year a new tariff of license fees is imposed upon any one engaged in business, a system unknown in the North. This subject is now being thoroughly ventilated in the columns of the leading papers of this city, for, with scarce an exception, they are all opposed to the system, and believe in its entire abolition. The people consider this system unjust, and the official who stands up in favor of reform will be looked upon as a benefactor, and rewarded accordingly. It is said that the sum of $600,000 can be realized from this source of revenue, but, on the other hand, it is urged that the business interests of the City may be increased upward of a million of dollars annually by dispensing with this tax. The State Fair begins on the 23d, and the prospects are good for its success pecuniarly, and as an evidence of the material growth and prosperity of the State. The public schools of the State are in a flourishing condition, as these institutions have been placed on a firm basis. The teachers of the schools, who were formerly paid in bonds which they were obliged to sell at a discount, are now paid in national currency. The schools are well attended by all classes of scholars, and no further difficulty exists on the question of color or previous condition. The statistics show a gradual increase of attendance and an excellent proficiency on the part of the scholars. The people of all classes are settling down with the conviction that these institutions must be heartily sustained if they would have continued peace and prosperity.

The Varieties Theatre, which was consumed about two years ago, is about to be revived under the auspices of Mr. LAWRENCE BARRETT, who opens on the 4th of next month, with a strong company.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

The furniture establishment of STEPHEN & SON, at Ellershouse, N. S., was burned yesterday. The loss is $25,000; insurance, $20,000.

Some rioting is reported to have taken place in Dover, England, on Sunday, which was easily suppressed by the local authorities.

Hon. GIDEON HAYES has resigned the office of Warden of the Massachusetts State Prison, to take effect Jan. 1.

A fire in Holliston, Mass., yesterday morning, destroyed L. B. WHITE'S barn and contents, including two horses and fifteen cows.

On Saturday night last, four prisoners in the jail at Frankfort, Ind., overpowered the jailer and escaped. One of them, charged with murder, was speedily recaptured.

A flouring-mill belonging to J. M. & W. P. THOMPSON, in Edinburg, Ind., was burned on Saturday night last. Loss, $25,000; insured for $15,000.

F. MIER, late Assistant Assessor of Internal Revenue in Texas, committed suicide for fear of arrest for collecting and embezzling Government funds.

JOHN A. HANSEN was arraigned in the Municipal Court in Boston, yesterday, charged with forgery, and committed for trial in default of $20,000 bail.

MARY E. BEST was arrested in Albany, yesterday, on a charge of robbing JAMES E. WEEKS, of Hudson, of about $800, at a house of bad repute.

A new bridge, 600 feet long, across the Androscoggin River, at Lewiston, Me., was opened to public travel yesterday. The bridge cost over $40,000.

The New National Insurance Company was organized yesterday, in Hartford, Conn., with MARK HOWARD, President, and JAMES NICHOLS, Secretary.

The Police Commissioners of Hartford, Conn., yesterday, failed to choose a Captain in place of C. D. MOTT, resigned. The candidates were GEORGE F. BILL, JOHN S. HOLDEN, CHAS. H. SAUNDERS and L. S. COWLES.

St. Mary's Catholic Church in Portsmouth, N. H., was burned on Sunday night, and the residence of Father WALSH adjoining was partially consumed. The church was a wooden structure. The loss is $20,000 and insurance $12,000. The fire is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary.

The Yellow Fever in New-Orleans.

A New-Orleans correspondent of the Philadelphia *Press* writes as follows in a letter dated Nov. 22:

"There has been considerable yellow fever in New-Orleans since the 1st of August, and, strange to say, instead of breaking out in the neighborhood of the French market, as usual, among the inhabitants of the low 'dago' slums, it took hold among the fashionable and well-to-do people of the Fourth District, better known as the Garden District, in the neighborhood of the Washington-street cemeteries. When the poor are attacked with yellow fever they are conveyed to the Charity Hospital, on Common-street, for treatment, but those of moderate means and those in good circumstances are nursed at home or among their friends or relatives; consequently, during the recent Fall, there were not over twenty-five cases of yellow fever in the Charity Hospital at any one time. Last year it was different; the large majority of the cases were at the above institution. The last death from this fever occurred at the hospital on Saturday last—a sailor man, who had only arrived a few days previously from sea."

The Cholera at Halifax—Singular Action of Officials.

From the Montreal Witness, Nov. 24.

The Arcadian *Recorder* states that the ship *Franklin*, now at Quarantine in New-York, and on board of which were, a few days ago, forty cases of cholera, besides twenty-eight deaths that occurred during the passage, was reported by the Captain to be free from disease on her arrival at Halifax, and the following letter was received by the Mayor of Halifax from the port physician:

SIR: In accordance with your request, I beg to furnish you with a statement of the deaths on board of the steamer *Franklin*, from Stettin, which put into this port on Monday for a supply of water and coal. During the passage of twenty-seven days nine deaths occurred—six children and three adults. Of the six children, four under one year died from exhaustion; the remainder of diarrhea. Of the three adults the cause of death was exhaustion accompanied with diarrhea. The steamer had a bill of health from the port from whence she cleared.

I am, Sir, your obedient servant,

CHAS. J. GOSSIP.

The *Recorder*, however, reiterates the statement that cholera was actually on board, and the course of events at New-York appears to confirm it. Numerous citizens of Halifax demand the removal of Dr. GOSSIP. Moreover, a telegram from the Mayor of Halifax to Ottawa announces the fact that the cholera had not only appeared in that City, but had also been carried from it among the French population at Chezzettcook, twenty miles further. In fact the port physician was outwitted or deceived by the Captain of the *Franklin*.

UTAH AND ARIZONA.

The Storms in the Canons Fiercer than Ever.

Deaths from Snow-Slides — Brigham Young's Trial—Petition of the People of Arizona to the President—Vigorous Measures Promised if the Indians do Not Settle Down.

UTAH.

The Snow Ten Feet Deep in the Canons—More Lives Lost—The Mormons and Young's Trial.

SALT LAKE CITY, Nov. 27.—The following dispatch was received by the *Herald* this evening from Cottonwood: "Since the last report the storms have not in the least subsided, but, if possible, are more fearful than ever. Parties who have been here the last two Winters say they never knew as terrific a storm in the cañon before. We have not seen the sun since Sunday, the 19th. The wind is blowing, the snow drifting, trees falling, and everything gloomy. Work is generally suspended. Though there has been no slide in the last forty-eight hours, they are momentarily expected. All hope of finding the body of C. MORRISON is now given up until Spring. His wife is almost distracted. Since the slides of Friday last, no teams have passed up or down the cañon."

A dispatch from the Tustic mining district says that a terrible storm has been raging there for the last six hours, accompanied with sleet and snow, and that it is still snowing and blowing. Another slide in Cottonwood is reported, by which four men lost their lives. The snow at Alta City is ten feet deep, and at the time of the last accounts it was still storming furiously.

Leading Mormons express themselves very anxious that BRIGHAM YOUNG should be here next Monday for trial. They say positively he will be here at the time ordered, if the prevailing storms permit. He has been notified by telegraph, and, it is stated, has already started for Salt Lake City. Elder ORSON PRATT, in the Tabernacle yesterday, preached with great earnestness in favor of polygamy. He said polygamy was one of the chief tenets of the Mormon religion, and if that was taken away the religion would be destroyed, and the proposal to give up polygamy for the sake of a State organization, or for any other purpose would never receive the consent of the Mormon people; in fact the Mormons would not surrender polygamy or any part of their religion for any Government. These remarks were received with loud cries all over the house of "That's so, we won't."

THE INDIANS.

Petition of Arizonians Setting Forth Their Grievances—Vigorous Measures Promised by the President.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Today Delegate MCCORMICK formally presented to the President petitions extensively signed by citizens of all classes, including the Federal and Territorial officers of Arizona from the towns of Tucson, Prescott, Phenix, Florence, Sanford, Wickenburg and Vulture Mine, in that Territory, and one from San Bernardino, Cal., in the following form:

To His Excellency U. S. Grant, President of the United States:

The undersigned citizens of the Territory of Arizonia, regarding the present anomalous state of affairs concerning the Indian difficulties in the Territory as being in the highest degree unsatisfactory, and perilous to our interests as a community, respectfully represent: That we desire nothing more earnestly than peace with the Apaches; that last Spring many were disheartened by our sufferings and losses from hostile Indians, were preparing to abandon the Territory, where we have labored and waited for years, hoping for the subjugation of the Apaches, when the assignment of Gen. GEORGE CROOK to the command of this department gave us new hope, and we determined to hold on a little longer, as we believed that the operations inaugurated by the General were calculated to result in a speedy settlement of our troubles; but just as his plans were being successfully put in force we learn that the matter is taken out of his hands and turned over to the Peace Commissioners; that, although we had no confidence in their policy, being satisfied from past experience that no peace treaty to which the Apache is an equal party can be lasting, we were willing to give all the assistance in our power to the Commissioners to aid them in their plans; but, since the arrival of their agent here, we perceive with dismay the most hostile tribes refuse to treat with him, and have continued their murderous and thieving raids as boldly and viciously as ever before; that we are disappointed and discouraged by the policy of the agent in proposing to continue the practice of giving asylum and aid at military posts indiscriminately to all Indians choosing to seek it, as the past has proven that the warriors can thus leave their families in security while they make marauding excursions over the country, and return with the scalps and plunder to the protection of the posts; that we are satisfied that the party having authority to make peace treaties with our Indian enemies should also have the power to promptly punish violations of such treaties; and we do further respectfully represent that, if the policy here inaugurated by the agent of the Peace Commission is to be persisted in, the deserted homes of our friends and neighbors, and the graves of those slain by the Apaches, which line every road and travel, and fill every grave-yard in Arizona, warn us that, if we remain here, we must expect a similar fate.

In making the presentation, Mr. MCCORMICK said the petitions were prepared prior to the decision of the Government upon the new programme for the treatment of the Apaches indicated in the recent order of Gen. SCHOFIELD, or their language would have been different in some particulars. He also informed the President he had advised his constituents to assist in every way in a fair trial of the said programme, whatever their belief was as to its results. He described the suffering of the inhabitants of Arizona from the unceasing raids of the wild Apaches as most aggravated, and said that life and property had been quite as insecure since the reports of the peaceable disposition of the Apaches as at any previous period. He pronounced the charges that the people wished to prolong war with the Apaches for speculative purposes, and that the hostility of those Indians was of recent origin, and to be attributed to the conduct of the settlers, atrociously false. He also denied that any large number of the Apaches had shown a sincere desire for peace, or that there was a determination on the part of the settlers to interfere with the reservations, if the Indians were kept upon them, and not simply fed there and permitted to go forth upon fresh campaigns of robbery and murder. Hitherto they have frequently made the military reservations bases of supplies and places of refuge and security for their plunder after committing outrages upon settlers and travelers. He knew that stolen cattle and articles taken from murdered men and women had been found in the hands of the Indians at Camp Grant, and he believed the report that the Indians concerned in the murder and scalping of LORING and others, had been traced to another reservation.

The President took the petition, and said he hoped the order of Gen. SCHOFIELD would satisfy the people of Arizona that the Government intended to deal summarily and vigorously with the Apaches, if, after duly notifying them to go and remain upon the new reservations, where they would be fed and protected, they continued on the war path.

Gen. WALKER assumed the duties of the Indian Office today, he was visited in his new quarters by many friends, who congratulate him on his new appointment. He is received by the Indian Board very cordially and they express their confidence in him, and their willingness to work with him in carrying out the President's Indian policy. There is a very strong hope here of the elevation of the character and integrity of the Indian service.

THE NATIONAL IDEA.

Lecture by Senator Morton, of Indiana—The Rights of the States, and the Unity of the States.

Senator OLIVER P. MORTON, of Indiana, lectured in Providence on Saturday evening, and in Boston last evening, on the "National Idea"—combating the proposition that "the States composing our nation are in themselves nations, possessing in themselves all the powers, rights and attributes of nations; that the Government was formed by these States as a political corporation; that the Government rests upon the States, represents the States, is the agent of the States; that this Government of ours is not, as we would fondly suppose, a form of Government, but is a mere compact between sovereign and independent States." In Providence he was introduced by Senator ANTHONY, and from the report of the Providence *Journal* we make the following extracts:

From this proposition two corollaries have been adduced from time to time, and I must say with great force of logic. The first is that this Union is composed of sovereign and independent States who have simply entered into a compact for particular purposes, and the Government is merely their agent; that any State has the right to withdraw from the Union at pleasure, or whenever in its judgment the terms of the compact have been violated, or the interests of the State require its withdrawal. The second is that each State has the right to nullify any law of Congress which, in the judgment of the State, is in violation of the compact by which the Government was formed. This doctrine has been the evil genius of the country from the foundation of our Governments. It may be said to be the devil in our political system. It has been our danger from the first. It is the rock in the straits, and we fear that the end is not yet. Now what can we oppose to this doctrine? We oppose what we call "the national idea." We assume that this Government was formed by the Government of the United States in their aggregate, and in their primary capacity. We assume that instead of there being thirty-seven nations there is but one; instead of there being thirty-seven sovereignties there is but one sovereignty. We assume that the States are not sovereign, but that they are integral and subordinate parts of one great country. I may be asked the question here, "Are there no State rights? Would you override the States? Would you obliterate State lines?" I answer, "No." I answer that this doctrine is the only doctrine that can preserve the peace of this nation and preserve rights of the States. I answer that there is a vast body of State rights guaranteed and secured by the Constitution of the United States, by the same Constitution that created and upholds the Government of the United States; that these State rights have the same guarantee that the rights of the National Government have, equally entitled to the protection of the Supreme Court, springing out of the same instrument, and that one set of rights are just as sacred as the other. Some confound the idea of State sovereignty and State rights as being one and the same thing. Others seem to suppose that State rights are only consistent with State sovereignty, and cannot exist except upon the theory of State sovereignty; while I assume that State rights are consistent with national sovereignty, and are safest under the protection of the nation. The constitution gives one class of rights to the Government of the United States. They are specified, and they carry with them all the rights that are indispensable and necessary to their full execution and enjoyment. The rest are to be held and enjoyed by the States, or reserved to the people. The States have their rights by the agreement of the nation. That seems to be the important truth that is so often overlooked, that the rights of the States, sacred and unapproachable, are sacred by the agreement of the nation, as much so as are the powers that are conferred upon the Government of the United States, that the States derive their powers from the same source, viz.: The Constitution of the United States. That Constitution says that the Government shall have one class of powers, and that other powers shall be gained by the States to be enjoyed by them or reserved to the people. In the consideration of this question, we must reflect that the nation had assembled in convention in 1787, and there formed a Government, there declared what rights should be given to the National Government, and what rights should be reserved to the States, and that in either case the grant and guarantee is an act of national sovereignty by the people in convention assembled. When we shall embrace this idea fully, all the danger of centralization will pass away, though we discard the idea of State sovereignty.

I do not differ so much with many gentlemen in regard to what the rights of the States are. I differ with them in regard to the titles by which they hold them. I say that so far as State rights are concerned, and the rights of the Government, that we are not to go back beyond the period of 1787, when the Constitution was formed. The rights of the older States, and of Rhode Island as she has them now, are to be dated from the formation of the Constitution. Then they came into convention. They had the right to make any sort of Government they pleased, and they did. And in that Government they guaranteed and secured to the States the great body of rights in regard to local and domestic government, but it was the agreement of the nation as that time. So far as the new States are concerned, they are to come in on an equality. They are to have the same rights with the old; and this theory would be impossible of execution except upon the idea that the rights of the States and of the National Government are to be determined from the action that was taken at that time. The difficulty had been in regard to this theory of State sovereignty; and the assumed right of secession and of nullification was the result. They assumed that these States existed as nations separate and distinct before that time, and that they only loaned a portion of their rights for a particular purpose. That is the base of that theory; while we assume that the people were acting together at that time in their aggregate capacity, raising a system of government, giving the United States certain powers, and providing that the States should hold and enjoy the rest, excepting those that were reserved to the people. The preservation of local self-government is essential to the liberties of this nation. Nobody indorses that sentiment more strongly than I do. Nobody will stand by the rights of the States more firmly than I will. I hold that their rights are consistent with national sovereignty, and that national sovereignty is consistent with the rights of the States, and I deny that these rights are the result of inherent original State sovereignty. In other words, we differ in regard to the title. What the States should have, and what the Government should have, was settled by the act of the nation in convention in 1787, changed to some extent by the adoption of amendments since that time. It is not enough for a party to deny the right of secession. It is not enough for a party to deny the right of nullification. They must go further. They must deny the doctrine of State sovereignty; for as long as that doctrine is admitted, these other things will spring up spontaneously from it, and whenever the occasion allows it. If we were to admit that the States were sovereign, then we would be bound to say that WEBSTER did not answer HAYNE, that WEBSTER and HAYNE never answered CALHOUN. If once it is admitted that the States are sovereign, it is hard to resist the corollaries to which I have referred, that they have the right to secede, and that they have the right to nullify.

The doctrine of nationality planted deep in the hearts of the American people is our only sheet-anchor of safety for the future. Our country is greatly extended, from the tropical to the arctic regions, with every variety of climate, soil and productions, with different commercial and manufacturing interests. The States on the Pacific slopes are separated from those on this side of the Rocky Mountains by fifteen hundred miles of mountain and desert. They have a different commerce from what you have, almost an independent commerce. Their commerce will be with China, Japan, Australia, the western countries of South America, and the islands of the Southern Pacific. It is now but in its infancy, but it bids fair to develop into colossal proportions, and may change the commercial aspect of the world. We know not what feelings of independence may arise in those States in time to come. It is difficult to deny the effect that may be produced by the separation of vast States with a different commerce acting in conjunction with forced theories of the origin and laws of our Government. In saying this I will cast no imputation upon the loyalty of those States. They are now as loyal as any, and were during the war. But we can imagine that what has been may be again. And we can understand what may be the danger of this doctrine, if it should still maintain its hold in the minds of the American people, when conflicting interests and constituting potions arise as to what may be the interests of the people; as in 1812 a war was brought about which was regarded as being fatal to the interests of the New-England States, they took their position upon it. We have had a law which was regarded in South Carolina as being fatal to her interests, and she took her position upon it. This doctrine was again seized by slavery in 1861, and the rebellion was brought on. And what may happen in the far future upon the eastern and western coasts, upon the northern and southern extremities of our nation, we cannot tell.

The idea that we are a nation, that we are one people, undivided and indivisible, should be a plank in the platform of every party. It should be printed on the banner of every party. It should be taught in every school, academy and college. It should be the political north star, by which every political manager should steer his bark. It should be the central idea of American politics, and every child, so to speak, should be vaccinated with this idea, that he may be protected against this political distemper that has brought such calamity upon our country. Were the mind of the nation, so to speak, fully saturated with this sentiment of nationality, that we are but one people, undivided and indivisible, there would be no danger though our boundaries came to embrace the entire continent. It is therefore of the utmost importance that it should be taught and inculcated upon all occasions. What the sun is in the heavens, diffusing light, and life, and warmth, and by its subtle influence holding the planets in their orbits and preserving the harmony of the universe, such is the sentiment of nationality in a nation diffusing light and protection in every part, holding the faces of Americans always toward their home, protecting the States in the exercise of their just powers, and preserving the harmony and prosperity of all.

We must have a nation. It is a necessity of our political existence, and we find the countries of the old world now aspiring for nationality. Italy, after a long absence, has returned. Rome has again become the centre and the capital of a great nation. The bleeding fragments of the beautiful land have been bound up together, and Italy again resumes her place among the nations. And we find the great Germanic family has been sighing for a nationality. That race, whose overmastering civilization is acknowledged by all the world, has hitherto been divided into petty principalities and states, such as Virginia and South Carolina aspire to be, but now are coming together and asserting their unity, their national existence, and are now able to dominate all the nations of Europe. We should then cherish this idea, that while the States have their rights sacred and unapproachable, which we should guard with untiring vigilance, never permitting an encroachment, and remembering that such encroachment is as much a violation of the Constitution of the United States as to encroach upon the rights of the General Government, still bearing in mind that the States are but subordinate parts of one great nation, and that the nation is over all, even as God is over the universe. Without entering into any of the consequences that flow from this doctrine, allow me for to-night to refer to that great national attribute, that great national duty—the duty and the power to protect the citizen in the enjoyment of life, liberty and property. If the Government of the United States has not the power to protect the citizens of the United States in the enjoyment of life, liberty and property in cases where the States fail, or refuse or are unable to grant protection, then that Government should be amended, or should give place to a better. Great Britain sent forth a costly and powerful expedition to Abyssinia to rescue four British subjects who had been captured and imprisoned by the Government of that country. She has recently threatened Greece with war, if she did not use all her power to bring to justice two brigands who had lately murdered two British subjects. These things are greatly to the honor of Great Britain. And our Government threatened Austria with war if she did not release MARTIN COSTA, who had declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States, and was therefore protected by the Government of the United States. More recently we have made war upon Corea, a province in Asia, and slaughtered her people and battered down her forts, because Americans shipwrecked upon her coast were murdered, and the Government had refused to give satisfaction for it. And if a mob in London should murder half a dozen American citizens, we would call upon that Government to use all its power to bring the murderers to punishment, and if Great Britain did not do so, it would be regarded as a cause of war. And yet some people entertain the idea that our Government has the power to protect its citizens everywhere except upon its own soil. While the idea that I would advocates the doctrine that I would urge as being the only true and national one, flowing inevitably from national sovereignty, is that our Government has the right to protect her citizens in the enjoyment of life, liberty and property wherever the flag floats, whether at home or abroad.

ABOUT COCHISE.

A Nevada Story of the Origin of His Cruel and Vindictive Actions Toward the Whites.

The White Pine *News* tells why, in its opinion, COCHISE, the Apache chief, is an enemy to the whites, in the following:

"We know yet of some good, even in that much-abused piece of dusk humanity, COCHISE. He is brave as the very lion's heart, and was noble, generous and kind; but he was imposed upon by supercilious army officers. COCHISE and his people had prided themselves always in the boast that no hand of theirs had ever shed a white man's blood. They were peaceful, and delighted in performing friendly offices for the whites. But a spooney Lieutenant, in command of a post, was enamored of a pretty Mexican woman, and her child was spirited away by prowling Indians. And this Lieutenant, to illustrate his gallantry to his mistress, made a parade of the case, and swore that the child must be brought back. To crown his gallantry, he had COCHISE and his brother, MANGUS COLORADO, captured and held as hostages for the child's return. COCHISE called all his people to his place of imprisonment and satisfied himself that none of them knew anything of the matter. He so reported to the commander of the post; and offered his services to assist in finding the child and visiting punishment upon the offenders; but no, the Lieutenant stoldily refused to hear the Indian's story, backed though it was by a life of manly bearing and good behavior. COCHISE was retained and badgered and threatened till, in his desperation, he slashed through the tent with his knife, and leaped into the faces of the surrounding soldiery, in broad day-light, and struck through the ranks and off to the plains. Since then he has been the implacable enemy of the white race. The Indian to him 'born on the grass' charges up to our race the offense of our representative in authority—that loving Lieutenant. Afterward, MAGNUS COLORADO was murdered while a prisoner. He could have been killed in the daylight, but our Lieutenant preferred to trump up the subterfuge that the prisoner attempted to escape, and killed him for that. Although in the interest of humanity in general, we would like to hear of COCHISE being shot down, yet we must admit the brave defiance with which he anathematizes our race, and feel some pity that the pale-faced Pharisees have not the poor Indian's candor."

Caught in a Railroad Cut—How a Young Lady Equestrian Escaped Death.

From the Portland (Oregon) Bulletin, Nov. 10.

Yesterday there occurred on the Oregon and California Railroad, between this city and Salem, one of the most thrilling railroad incidents we have ever heard of, which, while it demonstrates the foolhardiness of some people, also shows how near there came to being a terrible railroad accident. The following particulars, furnished to our reporter by an eye-witness, may be relied upon as true:

When the down train came near one of the stations on the road it was running at full speed, in order to make up time, as it was a few minutes behind. The road at this point runs through a cut something more than a mile in length, and in entering it the road makes a curve, so that the engineer cannot see entirely through it. He had hardly gotten into the cut before he saw a woman riding leisurely through it, using the centre of the track. She was not more than half way through the cut, and barely a quarter of a mile ahead of him. He immediately whistled "down brakes," and then sounded the warning.

The woman, hearing the peculiar death-whistle of the locomotive, looked over her shoulder and saw the train rushing at her. She did not shriek, nor faint, nor give up all hope, but, like a true Webfoot, her courage rose equal to the emergency, and, without a moment's hesitation, she commenced swinging her riding-whip from one shoulder of her steed to the other, thereby urging him to exert his utmost speed.

The shrieking of the locomotive's whistle caused the passengers to look out of the windows, and upon their discovering what was the matter the wildest excitement ensued. Several jumped forward and seized the bell-rope, and commenced pulling on it as if they could stop the train by that means. The brakemen were exerting all their strength on the brakes, and the engineer had cut off the connection and was doing all that he knew to stop the train, while the woman was doing her level best to urge that bit of horse-flesh to speed; but, all in vain, the locomotive kept gaining on the horse and its rider, and there was hardly a person on the train who did not expect that both the woman and horse would be killed. There was, perhaps, thirty feet intervening between the cow-catcher and the horse's heels when, fortunately for the woman, she observed a place which was a little wider than usual, and with a steady rein she guided the fleeing horse from the track and endeavored to press him against the wall of the cut, in order that the train might pass by without injury. In doing this the woman was encouraged by SAM WINANS, the conductor, who had run forward and got on the locomotive. A few seconds only passed by when the fiery monster poked its nose past the rump of the horse. At this moment WINANS threw his whole force against the animal and held him until the train stopped, and then a rousing cheer of gratification and joy at the escape of the woman from a terrible death was given.

EUROPEAN NEWS.

Meeting of the Italian Parliament in Rome.

Opening Speech of King Victor Emmanuel.

The Prince of Wales Still in a Critical Condition

NOTES FROM THE PEOPLE.

A Card.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

An article appears in this morning's TIMES relative to "Sheriff BRENNAN'S son looking after the scavenger permits at a salary of $2,000 per annum, and also charging $200 additional for swearing." In answer to which I would respectfully state that the above statement is incorrect, as I am in no way related to Hon. M. T. BRENNAN, Sheriff, and further, that my salary is $1,800. I have, since May 4, 1870, signed 90,000 affidavits, for which extra service I have received $260. The law allows any notary twelve and a half cents for each oath taken.

L. T. BRENNAN.

A Good Lesson.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

C. H. COOPER and W. H. DE CAMP, of the Health Board of W. M. TWEED, with good salaries, were long the leaders (and watchful trippers) of the Republicans of the Twenty-first Assembly District. And Mr. A. BROWN, Jr., shown up by you today as in the same service, though a young man, has been their helper. Last year he was a minority candidate for inspector of election in a Harlem district, and another, not a Tammany Republican, got more votes, but was rejected by Mayor HALL, who appointed A. BROWN, Jr. At the late election this inspector held the two boxes for Senator and Assembly, and at one time it happened they were so covered by the broad shoulders of a policeman standing against them as to hinder any view of the tickets deposited, and a volunteer watcher who had lived in the neighborhood forty years, suggested to the policeman a slight change of position. Instantly Mr. Senator GERNET (who was watching too) burst out with a stream of abuse which he evidently thought would drive peaceable citizens from the poll. But it failed, and the report of his violence spread everywhere, and many a working man whom he had relied upon came up and voted against him.

A REPUBLICAN.

A Defense of the Manhattan Gas Company.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

During the past week a series of articles upon the gas question have appeared in the public journals of the City, which, if allowed to stand uncontradicted on the part of those conversant with these matters, are calculated to inflict the greatest injury upon innocent parties. Therefore, although averse to entering upon a newspaper controversy, as a practical gas manufacturer I have determined to state a few facts in reply to the numerous misstatements which have been thus far made. The subject having been first opened in the TIMES, I have selected your journal as the medium through which to address the public, for in the light of recent events, recognizing the great good that mainly through your instrumentality has been accomplished, I am unwilling to believe that there is any design on your part to deal unfairly upon any matter of public importance, or to refuse to allow the use of your columns for the correction of error when the spirit of justice requires that such corrections should be made.

As between the public and the gas light companies I am well aware of the fact that there is always a class of persons in the community who, whenever a clamor is raised, are prone to imagine themselves injured, and who, at such a time, think it their duty to rush into print to right their supposed wrongs. This is especially the case when a company is assailed, for let the cry of monopoly be once raised, the populace are only too willing to make a corporation the target for their shafts of abuse, believing in the old maxim that "a corporation has no soul;" all forgetting that the organization is composed of men like themselves, who possess not only feeling but a reputation, both of which, unless it is first shown that the affairs of the company are carelessly or injudiciously managed, are wounded in the most tender point. I do not, however, propose to occupy space with a personal complaint, or with a detail of personal grievances, but to proceed at once to the subject-matter of the question at issue.

The City of New-York is at present divided into four gas districts, and the supply of light is furnished by four distinct and separate companies; companies which neither directly nor indirectly have any connection with each other, or which have entered into any combination for mutual protection, but each of which manages its own affairs as to it shall seem best. The districts referred to, each of which laterally extends from the North to the East River, are divided as follows:

First District—From the Battery to and including the south side of Grand-street, supplied by the New-York Gas-light Company, with works at the foot of Twenty-first-street, East River. Second District—From and including the north side of Grand street to and including the south side of Thirty-fourth-street, supplied by the Manhattan Gas-light Company, with works at the foot of Fourteenth-street East River, and Eighteenth-street, North River. Third District—From and including the north side of Thirty-fourth-street to and including the south side of Seventy-ninth-street, supplied by the Metropolitan Gas-light Company, with works at the foot of Forty-second-street, North-River. Fourth District—From and including the north side of Seventy-ninth-street to the Harlem River, supplied by the Harlem Gas-light Company, with works at the foot of One Hundred and Eleventh-street, East River. All these companies manufacture their gas from coal, and are the sources from which all the supply of light through public sources for the Metropolis is at present obtained. In defining the districts I have been thus particular, in order that if in any section of the City the light from any cause may be deficient, the blame, if any, may be attached to that Company to which it properly belongs. In addition to the companies named, another, the Mutual, has recently been formed, and is at present engaged in laying mains, which, under its charter, it has a right to do through all the streets of New-York. This Company proposes to manufacture gas from coal and naphtha, but with what results remain to be seen.

In most of the recently-published articles, it has been stated that the gas now used is of a miserable quality, giving out a sickly light, of a pale, yellow-green color, offensive in smell and generally dull and smoky in appearance—resulting directly, as is alleged, from the use of an inferior quality of material in the manufacture. In reply to these strictures, I can say that, as far as the Manhattan Gas-light Company is concerned, these statements are in every respect untrue and without foundation in fact, for, as a complete refutation of the charge that poor material is used, it need only be said that the cost of and the expense of delivering first-class gas-producing coal at our works, when purchased by the quantity, is no greater than that of providing coal of an inferior grade. That the flame is yellow and smoky—to those familiar with the subject of gas-making—is only a proof of the richness of its quality, for it is this smoke, heated to a white heat, which gives out the light, and where the smoke becomes offensive the burner is, in all cases, defective, thus relieving the Company of blame in the matter. As to the quality of gas furnished throughout the Second District, I can state from experience, having for the past thirty-five years been intimately connected with its manufacture, that it has been uniform in its character, first class in all respects, and, instead of deteriorating, it has been from year to year improved as the appliances of science have been brought to bear upon its production. In the manufacture the greatest care is exercised to procure the best possible material, and when complaints have reached our office from any quarter, in nearly every instance within my knowledge it has been found, upon investigation, that the origin of the difficulty was from a cause beyond the control of the Company, and one which could be easily obviated. Let me state a recent case. A complaint reached us a few days since that the residents on Madison-avenue below Thirty-fourth-street were without light, and an investigation was immediately ordered, which resulted in the discovery that the Croton Water Department was engaged in laying down a new main in that vicinity, and the trenches having been left open, a sudden storm arising our pipes for several blocks had broken, sunk and filled with water. The injury was temporarily repaired, but laborers are still engaged in making the work permanent. Accidents of this nature will occur, particularly in a city like New-York, for each time that the streets are disturbed for the building of vaults, or sewers, or the laying of pipes for gas or water, especially when duplicate pipes are laid, the liabilities must increase. That the companies are not always blameless I admit, but, as with individuals, a spirit of forbearance is sometimes necessary, and the exercise of some little patience on the part of the consumer toward the gas company would be, to say the least, commendable.

In some of the published articles, specific charges have been made, and conversations with the employes of hotels and other public places reported by which an attempt has been made to show that complaints, as to the poor quality of gas furnished, were universal. Among others, it was stated that at the St. Nicholas Hotel some clerk had said that "the house had become sick of the Manhattan Company long ago." This statement must be erroneous, for this hotel never uses our gas except in case of emergency, for when the house was erected private gas-works were constructed opposite on Mercer-street for the use of the hotel, which have always since been in operation to supply its wants. In order, however, that the supply of gas might never fail, a separate main was laid as a favor and at the request of the proprietors of the hotel, through the building from Broadway to Mercer-street, by the Manhattan Gas-light Company from which gas could be taken if desired, and this is done when the private works are out of order and undergoing repairs. So with regard to the Fifth-avenue Hotel. When that house was built it was designed to manufacture its own light, and pipes were laid accordingly. For a time the private works were used, but subsequently abandoned, and the Gas Company was requested to supply the house. We have always had difficulty in supplying this house; the pipes within are too small for the purposes intended. We have tried our best—extra services have been laid in the side streets, and alterations to some extent made within the building. It is better now than it was some years ago, but to remedy the evil effectually would subject the proprietors to a greater expense than they are willing to incur. In reference to other statements made, instead of sending employes to make inquiry, I have myself personally called upon a number of the proprietors of the hotels mentioned, namely, of the Metropolitan, Hoffman, Grand, Coleman and others, and in each instance have been assured that the light furnished was not only satisfactory, but that no cause for dissatisfaction existed. That some of the employes of these establishments may have given expression to the views published is probable, but I would respectfully suggest that the proprietors are the responsible parties, and the ones from whom the complaints, if made, should emanate. In the same manner if information is desired on the subject of manufacturing gas it would be well to inquire of those who, by education and experience, are capable of imparting information as to the quality and character of the materials used, instead of giving the views of the common laborer, whose only knowledge of the business consists in keeping up a bright fire and charging the retorts as directed by those who are placed over him to see that he does his work, and who are held responsible for his acts.

Probably the great cause of complaint, however, and one upon which the consumer and producer will never agree, is the cost of gas, and the accuracy of the meters used is again called in question. As to the meter, I cannot well see how the companies can do more than has already been accomplished. In the manufacture of gas-meters the greatest pains is taken, and unusual skill and accuracy have been attained in their construction. Nearly all the meters used in this, and in most of the cities in this country, are made by the American Meter Company, whose works, at the foot of Twenty-second-street, near Tenth-avenue, are always open to those who wish to enter and witness the process of making and proving gas meters.

Every meter used in this State, before it can be placed in any building must be thoroughly tested by a State Inspector appointed by the Governor for this purpose, by and with the consent of the Senate. By law this officer is required to attach the seal of the State to such meters as he finds to be correct before they can be put in use. The inspection is a matter with which the gas companies have nothing to do—by the appointment of a State Inspector they are relieved from all responsibility in the premises, except that they must keep the meters used by them in repair and up to the required standard.

It has been urged that the gas furnished by the various companies should be tested, and that competent men independent of the corporations should be appointed for that purpose. To this I am confident the companies would not object. In our works the gas is tested every day, and its illuminating power recorded, and this has been the custom for years. Testing to ascertain its purity is of almost hourly ocurrence day and night. If public testers are to be appointed, let them be skilled chemists, and gentlemen in whom not only the public, but the companies can have confidence, men of independent as well as educated minds. If any change in existing laws is desired for the better protection of the public let the case be fairly stated, for I am convinced that the companies will ask is that a spirit of fairness on the part of the people should be exercised, and that complaints, when well founded, should be brought to the companies' notice, and the simple privilege accorded of being allowed to remedy the evil if possible.

CHARLES ROOME,
President Manhattan Gas-light Company.

Co-operative Housekeeping.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

As the TIMES has long shown itself more friendly to "Evangelical Christians" than any other New-York paper, and is proportionately esteemed by them, I wish to present to that class through your columns some ideas about "apartment-houses" and "co-operative housekeeping" that will probably be new to most of them. In the first place, it seems to be a settled fact that multitudes of the most refined, religious, and even "well-off" citizens of New-York are to live in the future in parts of houses. It is settled, also, that many of these will occupy these parts for lodging only, taking their meals elsewhere. Now, the question I wish to put to professing Christians is, Will you allow these facts to help overpower all your efforts to educate your children in what you know to be the proper way, or will you force them to aid you in this education? What do we behold now in many of your families, especially where the children are large? You are living in hotels where each member of the family takes his or her meals when most convenient at the general table; or you occupy a suite of rooms in a private house, and take your meals in "family" restaurants all over town. When a thoughtful man watches for a while the guests of these elegant restaurants, the sight "gives him pause," as he considers what must be the effect of this happy-go-lucky system upon the old landmarks of American civilization. But all these apparent evils can be made "to work together for good," if apartment-houses, &c., are properly utilized.

Though many scientists and political economists assert to the contrary, I maintain that the principal obstacles to co-operative house-keeping in the past have been of a moral nature. Petty quarrels and jealousies or immoralities have been the bane of such attempts. Here, then, is a field upon which the sincere, pure, humble Christian can show his superiority to the irreligious in these respects. He can show his sincerity by his willingness to make any sacrifice necessary to promote the success of an effort undertaken as a religious duty, by refraining from immoral conduct, no matter how great the temptation, and his humility by utterly refusing to quarrel. What I propose, then, to such of the truly religious people of this City as do not find themselves provided with convenient homes of their own is, that they make various persistent, repeated and determined efforts, on a large scaleor on a small scale, to realize co-operative housekeeping in its various degrees—from the mere combination of lodging-rooms to the full co-operation in procuring shelter, food, warmth, light, laundry, library, chapel, museum, &c., that has been advocated by some writers.

It is not only in accordance with the genius of Christianity, but also with the facts of history, to claim that religious people are better fitted than any others for any kind of co-operation. Some assert that such operations are only profitable when established on a large scale, but my experience snows that even two or three families can very much lessen their expenses and better their condition by taking a house together and dividing their expenses upon an equitable scale.

If, then, the heads of any number of families entertaining an earnest religious belief in common, will, after due consultation, associate as a joint stock company under the co-operation law—or come together without formality, if the number is small—they may be well assured that with the help of ordinary prudence, they can provide a permanent home for their families, wherein they can enjoy the entirest seclusion, if they will, or the largest opportunity for social intercourse.

In the best style of apartment-houses, each suite of rooms is connected with the kitchen by dumb-waiters, and meals can be had in the private dining-room, if desired, so that the complete isolation of the private house is possible. But for those who desire it, there is the public restaurant, with prices not much above cost. What I would especially impress upon religious parents—even those "who build desolate palaces for themselves"—is, that with the money they are wasting in their isolated house-keeping, or in paying hotel bills, they could build and furnish and maintain co-operative homes that would be very palaces, and could be made so attractive to the young folks by the social gatherings in the general parlor, dining-room, chapel, art-gallery and museum, that with one accord they would decide that there was "no place like home," and the agony now experienced by conscientious, loving parents at the sight of their children wandering off in all directions in search of pleasures not to be found at the lonely parental "hearth," would be relieved. There is nothing more earnestly desired by the sensible parents of New-York today than some means of retaining their sons and daughters under their influence. It must be evident to any candid person that the plan proposed would do this. The only objection any one can raise is that it is impracticable.

This subject has been considerably discussed in the TIMES and other New-York dailies of late. An "architect" presented his views on "Family Hotels," Nov. 19, in this paper, and its object being, naturally enough, to get the planning of the greatest possible number of buildings in the shortest possible time, he is very conservative, and scouts the idea of co-operative housekeeping. "These are," he says, "all visionary and untried schemes, which have already wrecked several projects of this kind, and which may or may not be found to work well in practice. My own opinion is that they will amount to little or nothing in the end." He wants us to be satisfied with the apartment-houses that have been in use in Europe for 100 years. But he will find that Americans are not satisfied with half measures. Give them the apartment-houses of Paris and Vienna, and they will say this is no better than they have in Europe. We Americans are in the habit of improving on all European styles of living; we ought to try co-operative housekeeping, with its wonderful economies and other pleasant features, and will never be satisfied until we do. But this architect says it never has been tried. Why, every public institution that feeds and warms people hereabouts now, has its "unitary" kitchen, laundry, bakery, &c., and the saving thereby, in spite of wasteful employes, is wonderful. Every Catholic convent and monastery in the land, (there are already three hundred of the former and 130 of the latter,) enjoys to a good degree the amenities of co-operative housekeeping. In this fact we get another proof that agreement upon the subject of religion is one of the surest safeguards in any associative household; while the fact that the secular institutions mentioned are conducted so economically says plainly to all the poor people of all lands, Find some way of insuring harmony of action among you, and you can live in palaces for the money it costs you to live in hovels! The history of the Shakers and several similar religious societies tells the same story.

A supposed expert on this subject puts forth what seems to me somevery wise and some very unwise ideas. I find unwisdom in his assertion that to the capitalist and the man of business alone must this community look for the solution of this problem as to "Our Future Homes." He says the mistake has always been in beginning with the poor people. The attractive home must be made fashionable by the rich. He adds: "The 'middle classes' will be like Moses; we shall look over into the promised land but not be allowed to enter it. The middle classes must wait until the well-to-do are lodged in this way. Their time will surely come, but not probably in the present generation. As for the poor, they must wait a great many years before this change extends to them."

I trust this writer will excuse me for calling this nonsense, and for maintaining that none but moral reasons prevent the immediate realization of the popular hopes on this subject. Fifteen years ago a newspaper reporter named UNDERHILL established a co-operative home for the middle class in this City, which succeeded finely, and spread itself in the course of a year into six adjacent houses. The sole cause of its failure was the fact that improper persons were allowed to take rooms in the house. The mismanagement of the affair has been a chief cause of the delay of the movement all these years. He assumes an awful responsibility who sets his hand upon the car of progress, and after pushing it on a little way deliberately pulls it back.

In conclusion, I would repeat the injunction to all would-be co-operative housekeepers, "Don't forget the religious harmonizer." *In hoc signo vinces.* Last Winter I met in the beautiful library of the Union League a number of gentlemen of means, who, under the inspiration of Mr. PARKE GODWIN'S long-pent enthusiasm, were putting down their names for $12,000 a piece toward the erection of a co-operative home that was to cost a million. Among them was a clergyman of note, who disclaimed the money capacity, but told them that he would be glad to be their chaplain. They did not seem to see the necessity of for such an official. And now the scheme is abandoned, or given up to one individual. I say that if a sense of religious brotherhood, as well as a desire to economize, had drawn them together, and a chaplain had been, consequently, the first instead of the last consideration, they would not have been sundered by such trifles as destroyed their organization.

SAMUEL LEAVITT.

NEW-YORK, Thursday, Nov. 23, 1871.

SINKING FUND.

The Claim of the Appraisers of City Real Estate—The Controller's Report The Case of Mr. Sands.

The Commissioners of the Sinking Fund met at 2 P. M. yesterday. A Mr. WATSON appeared on behalf of Mr. BLEECKER, one of the appraisers of City real estate. Mr. WATSON, who was only imperfectly heard, was understood to say that Mr. BLEECKER'S claim was $32,000. There was no doubt that he could obtain it if he chose to go to law about it, but he did not wish to do so. He (Mr. WATSON) had consulted other brokers about the value of the labors performed by the appraisers, and they rated them at $100,000. Many of them, in fact, said they would not undertake to do the work for that amount. Mr. BLEECKER needed his money, and as a proof that it was considered a perfectly just and valid claim, he had found no difficulty in assigning it. Mr. SAMUEL J. TILDEN had advanced $67,000 on it, it being then considered to be worth $80,000. He asked that at least the Board would award him one-half of the amount first asked—$32,000.

The Mayor said the Board never did things by halves.

Mr. WATSON said then he would be glad to take the whole amount of $32,000.

The Controller read a report on the Appraisers' claims, to the effect that no duty or necessity existed for making the appraisement, but it having been done it was quite proper the appraisers should be remunerated; that the $6,590 charged by the appraisers for actual outlay, must represent a very large portion of the labor employed; that he would therefore recommend that this amount be paid; that Messrs. MULLER and BLEECKER receive, in addition, $3,000 for their services, and that Mr. PALMER'S relinquishment of his claim be accepted.

The Mayor said he favored the Chamberlain's resolution, offered at a previous meeting of the Board, to pay $15,000 to each of the appraisers who demanded remuneration for their services. The Controller said the real estate of the City, with the exception of that unoccupied, was not under the jurisdiction of the Sinking Fund Commissioners. The appraisers could not recover a cent for their services. The Two per Cent. act abrogated the contract, as no money was ever appropriated for the work. The sum of $15,000 was grossly exorbitant for such work, if the expenses amounting to some $6,000 were to be added to it.

The Mayor thought it would be better for the City to pay than stand a suit.

The question of adopting the report was then put and lost.

The Chamberlain's resolution was then read, when the Mayor said, as he understood it, it contemplated paying only Mr. BLEECKER.

The Chamberlain said: "No, the three."

The Mayor said then he would call for aidivision of the question. He would not vote to pay men who had not courage enough to ask for their money.

The Controller moved to substitute $3,000 for $15,000, but the motion was lost.

The resolution to pay Mr. BLEECKER $15,000 was then adopted, and the remainder of the resolution was laid over. The Controller's report, so far as it related to the payment of the appraisers' expenses, was also adopted.

The Controller said he was not yet ready to report on the case of Mr. NATHANIEL SANDS, who is said to have received $75,000 for negotiating City bonds.

The Board then adjourned.

The Greenthal Case.

The notorious outlaw, "General" GREENTHAL, was yesterday before Justice HOGAN, at the Tombs Police Court, for examination on the charge of picking the pocket of ARTHUR C. TAYLOR, of No. 111 William-street, on Saturday last. There being no additional evidence, the prisoner was committed, in default of $5,000 bail, and the papers were sent at once to the District-Attorney, with a view to the speedy indictment and trial of the accused.

The Kopke Suicide—Further Details.

There are few positive facts to be added to the account which appeared in the TIMES of yesterday of the suicide, at No. 79 Christopher-street, of JACOB KOPKE, Superintendent of the German Agencies of the Standard Life Insurance Company, No. 202 Broadway. Coroner YOUNG yesterday took charge of the case, and the version of the matter which he gives is, that there was a dispute between Mr. KOPKE and one of the officers of the Insurance Company relative to $90, which deceased claimed he had placed in bank to the credit of the Company, but which fact was disputed. This trival circumstance, it was alleged, in connection with the fact that one of the officers of the Company lately committed suicide, so preyed upon the mind of Mr. KOPKE as to induce the temporary aberration of mind, during which the unfortunate man destroyed his life, as published in the TIMES. These statements do not appear, however, as sworn evidence in the case, as up to a late hour yesterday, Coroner YOUNG had not held the inquest.

A NOBLE WORK.

Annual Meeting of the Children's Aid Society.

Report of Its Operations for the Past Year—What the Society Has Been Doing for Destitute and Ignorant Children—Number of Schools Under Its Control.

The good work being performed by the Children's Aid Society, now in the nineteenth year of its existence, is of a character which commends itself to the attention of every humane and philanthropic person. The objects of the Society and the acts of benevolence which it undertakes were clearly and fully explained at the annual meeting of the officers of the body, held at the bank corner of Broadway and Pine-street, yesterday afternoon. Mr. HOWARD POTTER presided, and among the gentlemen present were Messrs. C. L. BRACE, JOHN E. WILLIAMS, B. J. HOWLAND and HORATIO ALLEN. The reports of Mr. WILLIAMS, the Treasurer, and of Mr. BRACE, the Secretary, were presented to the meeting. Mr. EDWARDS, in speaking of the condition of the Society in his report says: "That our condition may be clearly understood, it seems necessary to say, at the outset, that the financial report this year will be very different from what it would have been had not this Society, in common with others, been exposed to the consequences of frauds and misappropriation of moneys by the New-York City officials. The amount thus withheld or stolen is upwards of $30,000! Twenty thousand of this sum, duly appropriated by special law, and $11,000 provided for by general law, (which makes partial provision for pupils in industrial schools,) ought long ago to have been paid into our treasury. If it had been, the Society would have been entirely free from debt, with a fair working balance in hand at the close of the fiscal year; while our present exhibit shows a debit of $27,000 for money borrowed to carry us through. Thus, these enemies of the public weal contrive, by their machinations, to rob alike the very poor, the middling-class, and the rich, while they more or less demoralize all classes!

The receipts for the year amounted to $153,659 44. The payments were $153,741 55. During its existence the Society has paid out $1,093,923 48. Had it not been for the disappointment, already referred to—arising from the non-payment of moneys by the City—the financial condition of the Society would have shown an improvement over last year. And even now there has been an addition of $5,000 to the personal property by the legacy of Mrs. MARY A. VARNUM. The building fund for the Newsboys' Lodging-house is safely vested in first-class securities. Last year it amounted to $70,000, now it is $75,000. But this fund being available only for the purchase or building of a Newsboys' Lodging-house, adds nothing to the resources of the Society for its ordinary support. There are nineteen day and twelve evening schools under the management of the Society. It will be seen by the following schedule that there are now on the rolls of the schools 9,429 pupils, being an increase, within the past year, of 2,331, while the average attendance has increased only two, being this year 2,847, against 2,845 last. This shows the great fluctuations to which this class of our poorer population must always be liable; the children being obliged to stay away from school, perhaps half the time, in order to earn something to live on, while they go to school the other half. The cost of keeping up this large number of schools, with good trained teachers, is the heaviest item in the disbursements of the Society. This year it amounts to $49,880 33. The following is a list of schools, number of pupils on the rolls, and average attendance for the year:

Name and Location	No. on Rolls.	Average Attendance.
Cottage-place School, No. 204 Bleecker-street	413	120
East River School, No. 206 East Fortieth-street	351	123
Hudson River School, No. 350 West Twenty-seventh-street	305	120
Avenue B School, No. 607 East Fourteenth-street	200	110
German School, No. 272 Secopd-street	872	375
Italian School, No. 44 Franklin-street	462	215
Lord School, No. 207 Greenwich-street	455	98
Fifty-third Street School, No. 340 West Fifty-third-street	640	210
Park School, Sixty-eighth-street and Broadway	832	256
Fifty-second-street School, Fifty-second-street, near Eleventh-avenue	490	155
Phelps School, No. 335 East Thirty-fifth-street	251	72
Newsboys' Evening School, No. 49 Park-place	350	100
Girls' Industrial School, No. 120 West Sixteenth-street	203	75
Fourth Ward School, No. 52 Market-street	316	75
Fifth Ward School, No. 141 Hudson-street	494	91
Eighth Ward School, (colored pupils,) No. 185 Spring-street	503	90
Eleventh Ward School, No. 709 East Eleventh-street	630	141
Thirteenth Ward School, No. 327 Rivington-street	614	105
Fourteenth Ward School, No. 93 Crosby-street	760	200
Sixteenth Ward School, No. 211 West Eighteenth-street	288	106
Total	9,429	2,847
Last year	7,098	2,845
Increase, 1871	2,331	2

Large as these figures show the work of the industrial schools to be, it is not so large or thorough as it might be if the trustees possessed the necessary power to compel attendance on the part of vagrant children. It is to be hoped the Legislature will no longer overlook this subject, of such vital importance, but will provide by a general law for the compulsory education of every child.

The yearly examination and review of the operations of the Newsboys' Lodging-house is attended with enhanced satisfaction every year. This year is marked by a large increase in the number of boys sent West. The year before 822 went from the Lodging-house, this year 1,018, a gain of 196.

The past has been an eventful year in the history of the Girls' Lodging-house. In our last report it was stated that there was urgent need for better accommodations, and it was suggested that a building should be bought for the purpose. Early in the year a subscription was started among the friends of the Children's Aid Society, which resulted in collecting.....$27,476 00
The house No. 27 St. Mark's-place was bought for.....$22,500 00
And enlarged, fitted up and furnished by an additional outlay of. 6,335 62
Making a total cost of..... 28,835 62
Excess of payments for Girls' Lodging-house over receipts..... $1,359 62

This Lodging-house has been thoroughly fitted up and comfortably furnished. It is pleasantly situated, and considered in all respects equal to any in the City. The Society is thus indebted again to the liberality of its numerous friends, and especially to Mrs. STEWART BROWN for placing another of its lodging-houses on a free and permanent footing.

The Boys' Lodging-house, located at No. 709 East Eleventh-street, has received special attention and many favors in the way of personal attendance from one of our trustees and another friend. Yet, from some cause or other, it does not grow in favor with the public. The cause is found in the remark of Mr. SAMUEL LOVELL, the Superintendent? In closing his report, he says: "I express my belief that the present location is an unfavorable one for the puposes of a Lodging-house." There have been in the last year 14,353 lodgings, and 14,240 meals furnished, and 550 different boys registered. Each item being somewhat less than the previous year, and the expense $1,798 82, or about the same.

At the Boys' Lodging-house, at No. 211 West Eighteenth-street, the number of lodgings this year is 28,302, against 25,516 the year before; meals furnished 30,693, against 27,982 the previous year. The average number of lodgers 77, against 70 before. The cost to the Society has been only $637 84, including $381 72 paid for repairs, &c.

At the Phelps' Lodging-house, at No. 327 Rivington-street, during the past year there have been 804 different boys in attendance, 25,479 lodgings furnished, and 35,097 meals. The latter is a large increase, while there is a small falling off in the other numbers. The average nightly attendance is 70, against 72 of the previous year. The evening school has been well kept up; and the Sunday evening meetings rendered attractive by the unflagging interest manifested in those services by two trustees and none or two other gentlemen.

The following is a summary of the work of the Society for the year:

Number of meals furnished at lodging-houses	157,729
Number of lodgings furnished at lodging-houses	131,578
Number of orphans at lodging-houses	4,958
Number of orphans sent west	1,231
Total	6,189
Number registered during the year of lodging-houses	11,928
Number registered during the year at industrial schools	9,429
Number sent to places and to the West	3,386
Total number under charge of the Society during the year	24,743
Number of salaried teachers, including those in the evening schools	71
Number of volunteer teachers	51
Of our scholars we have sent to public schools	530

Sixteen industrial schools supply gratuitous meals; three furnish none.

The report of Mr. C. L. BRACE, the Secretary, is very voluminous, and furnishes some interesting information about poor children in this City. It shows how crime has been checked among them through the agency of the society, and a steady and marked decrease in the number of arrests of juvenile offenders. In speaking of the cause of children's poverty and crime, Mr. BRACE says:

"We have had the curiosity this year to make a careful survey in each lodging-house of the causes of homelessness in a hundred cases from each institution. Among 400 street children, taken thus at random, we find the causes of their condition to be as follows:

Orphans	124
Intemperance of parents	65
Mothers too poor to keep a home	25
Maltreated by step-father or mother	42
Parent in prison	11
Parent in hospital	17
Mothers who live out	45
Fathers loafers	35
Mother deserted them	7
Mother in Insane Asylum	1
Parents unknown	9
Failed in business	5
Father drowned on his passage to this country	1
Parents in Europe	2
Emigrants newly arrived	3
Mothers keep girls and can't lodge boys	2
Fathers deserting mothers and they living with other men	5
Total	400

Our vititors, Mr. DUPUY and Mr. TRACY, have carefully investigated the institutions for criminal children, and the prisons and almshouses within and near the City, on Staten Island, in New-Jersey, on Long Island and Westchester County. Everywhere they find one of the prolific causes of the crimes of boys to be the want of a trade. The selfishness of the trades-unions in discouraging apprenticeship, and, above all, the growing passion to make money by "short cuts," and a dread of painstaking industry, are keeping lads away from mechanical trades—always the most independent occupations in a city—and turning them to chance occupations and street jobs for a livelihood; the latter easily leading to vagabond and criminal habits. So strongly did we feel this, that we had hoped to open during the present Winter, in our lodging-houses, industrial schools where homeless lads could be taught trades. But the embarrassment in obtaining the funds due us for our ordinary expenses from the City Government, will check all new operations. The two Western agents have shown great energy and judgment: the one, Mr. J. P. BRACE, having traveled 29,748 miles, and placed 962 persons, and the other, Mr. E. TROTT, 18,310 miles, and placed 742 persons, without any accident or difficulty in the disposal of their hundreds of little emigrants. There have been provided with homes and employment during the year:

Boys	1,856	Men	303
Girls	887	Women	340
Total			3,386

Total number provided with homes since '54.....25,215

The following schedule will show the number sent to each State during each month, together with the nationality and parentage:

Where Sent.		Where Sent.	
New-York	447	Wisconsin	61
New-Jersey	166	Minnesota	43
Connecticut	60	Kansas	208
Massachusetts	60	Missouri	424
Pennsylvania	24	Maryland	4
Vermont	24	Rhode Island	20
New-Hampshire	19	Nebraska	68
Ohio	307	City	432
Indiana	34	Returned to friends	103
Illinois	347	Other institutions	9
Michigan	34		
Iowa	369	Total	3,386

MONTH. 1870.		MONTH.	
November	292	April	274
Decemoer	529	May	411
1871.		June	239
		July	196
January	221	August	391
February	226	September	335
March	379	October	194
Total			3,386

NATIONALITY.		PARENTAGE.	
American born	1,124	Parents living	927
Irish	1,058	Father living	65
English	199	Mother living	191
German	375	Orphans	1,231
Swedes	127	Unknown	329
French	19		
Scotch	55	Total	2,743
Canadian	10	Men	303
Italian	1	Women	340
Austrian	1		
Unknown	414	Total	3,386
Total	3,386		

The Secretary's report furnishes the following information about the industrial schools under the care of the Society:

The Eleventh Ward Industrial School, No. 709 East Eleventh-street, is held in two rooms of the Boys' Lodging-house. The crowded rooms attest the success of the teachers in attracting children from the streets. Number on roll, 630; average attendance, 141. Teachers, Miss A. VAN VORST, Miss FLORA NEELY, Miss M. SATTERIE.

The night school has been well sustained during the Winter and attended by large numbers. Both schools are much indebted to D. WILLIS JAMES, Esq., for many favors.

The East River Industrial School, No. 206 East Fortieth-street, has gone on prosperously through the year. The children in the Principal's department manifest great mental activity, and learn rapidly. Mrs. HURLEY administers the charitable contribution intrusted to her with good judgment. Mr. HOWLAND, Mr. LIVINGSTON, and the lady managers have sustained the school by liberal contributions and their self-sacrificing labors. Number on roll, 351; average attendance, 123. Teachers, Mrs. E. S. HURLEY, Mrs. KATIE FRANZ, Miss IDA HUTTON.

The West Sixteenth street Girls' School, No. 120 West Sixteenth-street, has experienced great opposition on the part of bigoted persons in the neighborhood, but has, notwithstanding, been very useful, and shows a larger attendance than ever before. Miss JONES and the lady managers have taken great interest in the school, and by their numerous benefactions have contributed much to the happiness of the children. Number on roll, 203; average attendance, 75. Teachers, Mrs. A. MCMANUS, Miss. H. MCANENY.

The Hudson River Industrial School, No. 350 West Twenty-seventh-street, has been well conducted in all respects. As many children have attended as the rooms would accommodate. Though they come from wretched quarters, yet they appear neat and clean. Some very young children are there who help to take care of their aged grandparents and are their sole support, yet attend school quite regularly. Number on roll, 305; average attendance, 120. Teachers, Miss L. NOBLE, Miss F. MCANENY.

At the German Industrial School, the educational and industrial training is of a high order, and reaches a very large number of poor German children. Number on roll, 572; average attendance, 375. Teachers—Miss E. ROBERTSON, Miss A. E. CHANDLER, Miss A. STRATHERN, Miss E. S. LOWE, Miss M. STAATS, Mrs. E. PISLIGAARD.

The Italian School, No. 44 Franklin-street, is now well organized, and is attended by a large number of poor Italian children. Number on roll, 562; average attendance, 215. Teachers—Mr. A. DERQUA, Mrs. ALLEYNE, Miss RICHARDS, Mr. DEMARINI.

The Cottage-place Industrial School, No. 204 Bleecker-street, is still held in the old factory building, where it was started by Mr. MACY. Under the intelligent guidance of the new Principal it has done a good work. Number on roll, 413; average attendance, 130. Teachers—Mrs. FOREMAN, Mise E. WELLS, Miss N. HOGAN, Miss S. TODD.

At the Lord Industrial School, No. 207 Greenwich-street, more regular attendance is secured than in many of the other schools. Though drawn from dirty and miserable tenements, the children are very neat, orderly and studious. They display strong personal attachment to their teachers. Some were taught their letters by the same teachers who are now teaching them geography and long division. Number on roll, 455; average attendance, 96. Teachers—Miss S. S. FLAGG, Miss N. RANDOLPH.

The Avenue B School, No. 607 East Fourteenth-street, is held in the old store-room. The walls are covered with handsome pictures, and the windows filled with plants to make the school-room pleasant and cheerful. Number on roll, 200; average attendance, 110. Teachers—Miss JANE ANDREWS, Miss E. DOLLNER.

At the Seventh Ward Industrial School No. 93 Crosby-street, the uniform excellence of the scholarship displayed at the examinations and in the daily sessions testify to excellent teaching. Number on roll, 760 average attendance, 200. Teachers—Miss H. E. STEVENS, Miss E. S. STEVENS, Miss N. MCGRATH, Miss S. HOLLIS.

The Park Industrial School, Sixty-eight-street and Broadway, has exerted a most beneficial influence over the poor people of a large district. The children are well taught. Number on roll, 832; average attendance, 256. Teachers—Miss M. PASCALI, Miss S. ROBINSON, Miss H. TAYLOR, Miss BIRDSALL.

At the Fifty-second-street Industrial School, corner of Eleventh-avenue and Fifty-second-street, good teaching has been maintained in all the departments. The charitable and industrial work has also been well attended to. Number on roll, 490; average attendance, 155. Teachers, Miss E. BISHOP, Miss J. MALLORY.

The building occupied in common with the German Lutheran Church furnishes ample and pleasant accommodation for the pupils of the Fifty-third-street School, at No. 340 West Fifty-third-street. Great credit is due the teachers for their industrial department. Very fine samples of work done by the scholars are to be found there. Teachers—Miss E. A. BAYLIS, Miss F. COLEMAN, Miss S. SEYMOUR, Miss M. JOHNSON. Number on roll, 340; average attendance, 210.

At the Fifth Ward School, No. 141 Hudson-street, it seems almost impossible to effect a reformation in the larger children. The Infant School is successfully conducted, and the little ones are quite regular in their attendance; but the tendency of the older children to lapse into the wild,

BOARD OF APPORTIONMENT.

The New Court-House—The Appropriations for Completing It—The Aldermen Want Their Salaries.

A meeting of the Board of Apportionment was held yesterday, at which the Mayor, Commissioner STEBBINS and the Controller were present.

A resolution was read to issue $500,000 of Court-house Stock No. 5.

The Controller said he would call attention to the fact that, in 1868 $800,000 stock was issued for completing the New Court-house; in 1869 $600,000 stock was issued for furnishing and completing the New Court-house; in 1870 $60 ,000 stock was issued for completing the New Court-house, and in 1871 Commissioners were appointed, and $750,000 was authorized to be issued for completing the New Court-house. The Controller also called attention to the peculiar phraseology of the act making the last appropriation, which said the Board should appropriate as much of the $750 000 as they might deem sufficient "for completing the Court-house." It was, therefore, incumbent on them to see that the amount appropriated would complete the building.

The Mayor said that it seemed so. Further, the act said the Controller should pay over the proceeds of the bonds issued from time to time, as might be required.

The Controller moved that the Commissioners for completing the building be required to report what claims are outstanding, and how much will be required for the absolute completion of the building, with a detail of the material necessary. The motion was adopted, and the resolution was laid over.

Mr. HARDY, Clerk of the Common Council, said he had been requested by the Board of Aldermen to ask whether any action could be taken in regard to the payment of their salaries. They had received no salaries since the month of September.

The Mayor said the Board had already appropriated an amount to pay the salaries of the Board of Aldermen. No other appropriation could be made that he knew of. It was true that revenue bonds might be issued, but if it was proposed to issue such bonds, or salary bonds, a very large amount would be required.

The Controller said they could get nothing further from the Board of Apportionment; they must go to the Legislature. The law said no liability would lie against the City except for the amounts appropriated by the Board of Apportionment.

The Mayor explained that the appropriations had been made on the estimates prepared by the Board of Estimate. When the Two per Cent. act came into operation, it so contracted the aggregate appropriations that each Department had run into debt, and consequently found itself short at the end of the year.

The Comptroller offered a resolution to that all bonds and stock issued by the Board shall hereafter bear the following indorsement: "This certificate is issued by the authority and concurrence of the Board of Apportionment in pursuance of section 4, chapter 583, laws of 1871, as appears by the minutes of said Board. The resolution was adopted, and the Board adjourned.

The Bowling-Green Bank—Deficits to be Made Good.

Mr. SHEPHERD F. KNAPP, Jr., the receiver of the Bowling-Green Savings Bank, expects to complete his investigations on Wednesday, and to be able by that time to inform the depositors the amount of assets and liabilities of the bank. The depositors' committee, composed of Ex-Judge WHITE, Justice HOGAN, Mr. CONNOR and others, will meet the receiver to-morrow, and after obtaining the necessary information, will make a report at a meeting of the depositors, which will probably take place on Thursday evening. It is positively asserted that a deficiency of between $200 000 and $300,000 existed in the accounts of the bank at the time it suspended, but the money has since been made good in order to avert any serious trouble with the depositors. Whether the manner in which the deficiency occurred will be made public will entirely depend with the receiver.

The Board of Emigration kept a small account with the bank, for convenience sake. At the time of the suspension it had about $400 on deposit there.

Seizure of Contraband Whisky—Shooting at a Revenue Official.

Two wagons containing several barrels of illicit whisky were brought to the Federal Court building yesterday. They were seized by PATRICK MACK, an Assistant Revenue Assessor, who reports that he was passing through Broadway about 4 o'clock on Monday morning, and came across three wagons at the corner of Howard-street with two or three men in each. He noticed that the wagons were loaded with barrels, and suspecting something wrong he overhauled the drivers and demanded to know what they contained. He says that resistance was offered to his inspection, and two or three shots fired at him, and that he returned the fire, putting the party to flight. They escaped in one of the wagons, leaving two behind. He also states that one of the men had to be carried off by his companions. The barrels were found to contain whisky, and suits will soon be brought by Assistant District-Attorney EMERSON for the condemnation of the property. It is thought that an organized body of illicit whisky distillers exists in this City, as one of the horses which was captured by MACK has been condemned on several occasions.

Stabbing Affrays.

JULIUS GRAEFELD, a shoemaker, living at No. 349 East Sixtieth-street, got into a dispute yesterday morning with a man named O'BRIEN, who made an attack upon him, stabbing him in the left side, inflicting a serious wound. The assailant fled immediately, and has not yet been found.

JOHN HUPFS, a German, who lives at Forty-seventh-street and First-Avenue, when standing at the corner of Canal and Thompson streets, yesterday morning, was assaulted by an unknown man and stabbed in the left shoulder. He could give no description of the assailant, who ran away as soon as he had inflicted the wound.

LAW REPORTS.

COURT CALENDARS—THIS DAY.

COURT OF APPEALS.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 27.—The following is the Court of Appeals day calendar for Nov. 28: Nos. 381, 428 429, 432, 434, 435, 437, 438.

SUPREME COURT—CIRCUIT.

Part I.—Held by Van Brunt, J.—Court opens at 10½ A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
191—Taylor vs. O'Connor.	557½—Holland vs. Haynault.
169—Tieiman vs. Brunner.	559—Morris and Essex R. R. Co. vs. Cabot.
429—Comits vs. O'Brien.	561—Paulding vs. Robinson.
535—Palmer vs. Emery.	565—Hensor vs. Hobbs.
543—Lent vs. Importers' and Traders' Nat. Bank.	567—Rennie vs. Smith.
181¾(R. C.)—Kent vs. Topp.	569—Sherman vs. Roberts.
351—Nicol vs. Moloney.	571—Potts vs. Norfolk and Petersburg R. R. Co.
353—Davenport vs. Sharp.	573—Loring vs. Smith.
555—The Tomlinson Demarest Co. vs. Barnett.	575¾—Amans vs. Kiefer.
347—Hook vs. Congreve.	577—Devlin vs. Bagley.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Held by Brady, J.—Calendar called at 12 M.

Nos.	Nos.
75—Spanier vs. Spanier.	153—Bixby vs. Tysen.
79—Gaulit vs. Gaulit.	154—Fogue vs. Balch.
87—Kircher vs. Gessner.	155—Davis vs. Baich.
135—Weber vs. Whitney.	156—Terry vs. Merrill.
97—Livingstone vs. White	157—In re Lambertsen.
100—Allen vs. Layton.	159—Donohoe vs. Donohoe.
109—Domits vs. Reeves, Jr.	160—Van Wyck vs. Lawrence.
125—Harris vs. Fuller.	162—In re Verbryck vs. Dickinson.
126—Michels vs. Michels.	163—Rawley vs. Downan.
145—Caldwell vs. Commercial Warehouse Co.	164—Bolles vs. Downan.
146—Wilmerdings & Mount.	166—Hennessy vs. Fiaslie.
149—Darling vs. Brewster.	174—Andrews vs. Church.
Call No. 176—People ex rel. Lorch vs. Weil.	

COMMON PLEAS.

Part I.—Held by J. F. Daly, J.

Case on.

COMMON PLEAS—TRIAL TERM.

Part II.—Held by Larremore, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
1264—West vs. Carry.	1301—Schott vs. Wright.
847—N. Y. Lith. & Eng. Co. vs Am. Tontine Life and Savings Inst.	1302—Same vs. Same.
	787—Holt vs. Hunt.
	1083¼—Schaffer vs. Mason.
1044—Mack & Knight vs. Goodhoud.	1054—Shaw vs. Theis.
	1052—Burke vs. Bonnord.
	1038—Aarons vs. O'Brien.

MARINE COURT—GENERAL TERM.

Held by Alker, Curtis and Tracy, JJ.—Calendar called at 10 A M.

Nos.	Nos.
1—James vs. Zucker.	13—Alkus vs. Rodh.
2—Cropsey vs. Shelpman.	14—Clark vs. Jones.
3—Schinder et al vs. Ewell.	15—Hafzel vs. Berg.
4—Swift vs. Prouty.	16—Sappins vs. Ullmann.
5—Catlin, Jr., vs. Gordon.	17—Posak vs. Feeney.
6—Kolben vs. Baxter.	18—Diliger vs. Tiemerer.
7—Terhune vs. Lauer.	19—Strauss vs. Blanck.
8—Sappins vs. Spilman.	20—Hirsch vs. Dorschell.
9—Bischoff vs. Kuhiman.	21—Ruemiller vs. Grosset.
10—Regan vs. Barkley.	22—Purdy vs. Fish.
11—Liebman vs. Steinmets.	23—Miles vs. Smith.
	24—Shannon vs. O'Brien.
12—Huntley vs. Ashley.	25—Sullivan vs. Howland.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Held by Bedford, J.

Nos.	Nos.
1—The People vs. Frank Langdon; burglary.	7—The People vs. Bartley Geoghegban and Jas. Wheeler; grand larceny.
2—The People vs. Mary Cooper, Hannah Johnson and Mary Morris; grand larceny, (two cases.)	8—The People vs. John Elroes; felonious assault and battery.
3—The People vs. James O'Donnell; grand larceny.	9—The People vs. Benj. F. Brady; felonious assault and battery.
4—The People vs. William Carley and Frederick W. Deitz; grand larceny and receiving stolen goods.	10—The People vs. John H. Necklin; receiving stolen goods, (two cases.)
5—The People vs. Catharine Leary; grand larceny.	11—The People vs. Patrick Dunn; receiving stolen goods. (two cases.)
6—The People vs. James McCarthney; grand larceny.	

MARINE COURT—TRIAL TERM.

Part III.—Held by Curtis, J. Calendar called at 10 A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
7917—Hutton vs. Goetz.	8135—Cleary vs. Am. Nickel Plating Co.
7935—Williams vs. Thorne.	8061—Oppenheim vs. Benning.
8136—Paine vs. Williams.	8158—Shield vs. Harris.
8053—Donovan vs. Sanderson.	7762—Marshall vs. Simon.
7972—Bellows vs. Perry.	
6776—Griffiths vs. Cornwall.	

DECISIONS.

SUPERIOR COURT—SPECIAL TERM—NOV. 27.

By Judge Spencer.

Hynes H. Lowenthal *vs.* Isaac Alexander, Lewis C. Hisley *vs.* John M. Wheelock, Levi Griswold *vs.* William McNally, Silas M. Styles *vs.* Platt K. Dickinson, Silas M. Styles *vs.* Franklin H. Carter; orders granted.

COMMON PLEAS—SPECIAL TERM—NOV. 27.

By Judge Loew.

Wettmer *vs.* Flemke; motion for a new return granted without costs.

Thompson *vs.* Stone; application for discovery of books, &c., denied, with costs, with leave to renew. (See memoranda for counsel.)

In the matter of Cornelia Flemming. (See opinion.)

BROOKLYN CITY COURT—SPECIAL TERM—NOV. 27.

By Judge Neilson.

Burthold C. Gaedeke *vs.* A. Orville Millard; in equity; cause tried without a jury; judgment reforming the leases pursuant to the first and second prayers of the complaint; as mortgagee, plaintiff not now in a position to claim more extended relief; no costs.

Frederick G. Wood *vs.* Lewis Schafer et al.; demurrer to complaint overruled; the will creates no trust, and the executors did not take title; the mere power in trustees no objection to the partition of the property.

Moses Walker *vs.* Jacob Elias.—Application to settle issues to be sent to a jury for trial denied. As to legal claims, though arising in an equity case, a jury trial would be a matter of right, but this action is for equitable relief, pure and simple. The questions involved not such as a jury could well consider, and the trial can be had most safely and economically before the Judge at Special Term; I am not disposed to favor a resort to a jury where, even with increased labor to the Judges, that can be avoided.

UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT.

No. 188.—*Shoemaker & Miller* vs. *Kingsbury.*—Error to the Circuit Court of Kansas.—This was an action against the plaintiff in error, as common carriers, for alleged breach of contract of carriage of Kingsbury over a portion of the eastern division of the Union Pacific Railroad. The judgment below was for the defendant, and here it is reversed, this Court holding that the plaintiffs in error were not common carriers subject to all the obligations resting upon such carriers, but simply contractors for building that division of the road, running a construction-train to transport material, &c. Under these circumstances, they were private carriers for hire, and as such were not insurers. It is also held that the Court erred in its instructions to the jury, which led the latter to suppose that the occurrence of the accident was presumptive proof that the employes of the road were destitute of proper skill and qualifications. Mr. Justice FIELD delivered the opinion.

No. 202.— ——— *et al.* vs. *Mellen, Trustee and the United States.*—Appeal from the Circuit Court of Kentucky.—In this case one Bloomberry, in a settlement of accounts with the Government, placed in the hands of Mellen certain bonds of the Railroad Company in trust, to secure his indebtedness to the Government. Suit was commenced by Mellen and the United States to foreclose the mortgages, which resulted in favor of the Government, and the judgment was here affirmed. Mr. Justice BRADLEY delivered the opinion.

No. 196.—*Hananer vs. Doane.*—Appeal from the Circuit for Arkansas.—This was an action to recover for goods sold for the use of the rebel army. The Court below charged that if the goods were sold in the common and ordinary course of trade, and the only inducement to the sale of the goods on the part of the firm making the sale was the price to be paid, then the sale was legal and valid, although the firm knew that Hananer, the purchaser, expected to turn the goods over to the rebel army. This Court says, that with whatever impunity a man may lend money, or sell goods to one who he knows intends to devote them to a use which is only *malum prohibitum*, or of inferior criminality, cannot do it without turpitude when he knows, or has every reason to believe, that the money or goods are to be used for the perpetration of a heinous crime, and that they were procured for that purpose, and the judgment is reversed. Mr. Justice BRADLEY delivered the opinion.

No. 220.—*United States* vs. *Russell*—Appeal from the Court of Claims.—In this case Russell recovered below for the use of certain steamers impressed into the Government service. The Court held that there was not such an "appropriation" of the property as prohibited jurisdiction under the act of July 4, 1864, but that there was such an employment and use of the steamers as raised an implied promise to reimburse the claimant for money expended by him in moving the steamers, and also a reasonable compensation for their services. That judgment is affirmed here. Mr. Justice CLIFFORD delivered the opinion.

No. 263.—*The Germania and other Insurance Companies* vs. *Berriken.*—Error of the Circuit Court for South Carolina.—In this case the defendant in error recovered a joint-judgment against the Insurance Companies on a policy of insurance, and the Compauies appealed, contending that the Court below erred in its rulings upon the evidence and in its judgment. This Court affirm the liability of the Companies, but remand the case with directions to the Circuit Court to enter up a judgment for the plaintiff against each of the defendants for one-fourth of the amount of the plaintiff's damages, including interest, as ascertained by the verdict, and for a joint judgment against them all for the costs in that Court. Mr. Justice DAVIS delivered the opinion.

No. 265.—*The Phœnix Insurance Company* vs. *Stoughton.*—Error to the Circuit Court for Mississippi.—An action on a policy of insurance in which the judgment was for the defendant in error. The case was brought here for review on questions of practice and the judgment is here affirmed. Mr. Justice DAVIS delivered the opinion.

No. 203.—*Townsend, Executor, &c., vs. Chappelle et al.*—Appeal from the Circuit for Wisconsin.—This was a bill to foreclose a mortgage and bond, executed by the appellees to Frederick Bronson, of New-York, executor of Arthur Bronson. The question was whether a certain party to whom installments had been paid, was the agent of Bronson authorized to receive them, and it was found below that he was, and the payments were credited on the mortgage. This Court affirms the decree. Mr. Justice SWAYNE delivered the opinion.

No. 236.—*Cooly et al. vs. O'Connor.*—Error to the Circuit for South Carolina.—An action of trespass to try the title to land in Beaufort sold for taxes under the "Direct Tax act." On the trial, the Court held that the tax sale certificate being signed by only two Commissioners was void, and also that the advertisement was not such as required by law. This Court holds that the action of the majority of Board of Commissioners was the action of the Board, and that the Court erred in excluding the certificates, and the judgment is reversed. It is said that an authority given to several, for public purposes, may be executed by a majority of their number. Mr. Justice STRONG delivered the opinion.

No. 237.—*The United States vs. Mynders et al.*—Survivors' certificate of division from the Circuit for the Northern District of New-York.—The question in this case was whether the disbiller's bond involved was in its conditions so far a departure from the requirements of the act of Congress, as to render it void, and the Court consider it in the negative. The opinion was rendered by the Chief-Justice.

No. 227.—*Smith vs. Sheely.*—Error to the Circuit for Nebraska.—This was an action of ejectment, turning on questions of fact, and the judgment below is here affirmed. Mr. Justice DAVIS delivered the opinion.

No. 261.—*Vanslyke vs. The State of Wisconsin,* and No. 262.—*Bognall vs. The State of Wisconsin.*—Error to Supreme Court of Wisconsin.—These cases presented the question of State taxation of national banks shares. The appellants claiming that there was discrimination between the State and national banks in levying the tax. This Court regard the questions as settled by the case of Van Allen, and the judgment is affirmed. The Chief-Justice delivered the opinion.

No. 276.—*Hennessey vs. Sheldon*—Error in the Circuit Court for the Eastern District of Texas—Sheldon and Hoyt, claiming to be citizens of New-York, sued Hennessey, a citizen of Texas, on two promissory notes and recovered judgment for the amount claimed. This Court affirms the judgment, with costs, interest and damages. The decision was announced by the Chief-Justice.

No. 151.—*Walker vs. Dreville & Miller*—Error to Circuit Court for Louisiana is dismissed with costs. Mr. Justice MILLER delivered the opinion.

The Court was then adjourned until the commencement of the regular term of 1871—Monday next.

SUPREME COURT—TRIAL TERM—PART I.—

NOV. 27.

Before Judge Van Brunt and a Jury.

THE FOWLER-WOOD CONTROVERSY.

Fowler vs. Wood.—This is an action brought by the former Corporation Counsel against Ex-Mayor Fernando Wood, to recover $1.000, borrowed money, from the latter. The defense set up by Mr. Wood is, that the $1,000 was not borrowed by him from the plaintiff, but was received by him to aid in defraying the expenses of the preceding election, and that even under those circumstances $500 of the sum was returned to plaintiff. Mr. Wood testified that it was the understanding that Mr. Fowler was to be assessed $5,000 per annum while in office for the benefit of Mozart Hall; that $500 of the amount was paid back, and that the balance was satisfied by an assignment of costs made by Mr. Shea to plaintiff.

Judge Shea corroborated the testimony of Mr. Wood as to the assignment of costs.

Mr. Fowler, the plaintiff, testified that he had never received back any of the money, and that nothing had been realized from the claims for costs assigned to him by Judge Shea.

Mr. Reavey for plaintiff; James M. Smith for defendant.

FINANCIAL AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—NOV. 27.

FIRST BOARD.

$2,500	U. S. 5-20 C., '62..	111¾	
500	.....	Small	111¾
7,500	U. S. 5-20C., '65.c.	111½	
1,000	U.S. 5-20 C., '67.	114¾	
500	U.S. 5-20 C. '68.s.	115	
1,000	U.S.5s 10-40 C.c.	109⅝	
1,000	do.....c.	109¾	
3,000	U. S. 6s. cur....	113⅝	
5,000	Ten. St. 6s, old..	66⅝	
11,000	Vir. 6s. consol..	65	
5,000	S.Car.St.6s.new, Jan. & July...	35¾	
37,000	do.....	35⅝	
5,000	do.....	35½	
4,000	Mich. So. 2d M. S.	100⅛	
5,000	Mich. So. S.F.b.	100⅛	
4,000	do.....	100⅜	
1,000	C. P.R.R.G. bds.	103⅜	
2,000	do.....	103¼	
10,000	U.P.R.R., 1st m.	91⅜	
1,000	do.....	91⅜	
1,000	U. P. 10s. inc....	83⅜	
2,000	U.P.7s.L.G. bs.	80	
2,000	Alt.&T.H.Inc..	77	
17,000	H.&St.Jos.Sa.c.b	95	
1,000	C. & N. W. 1st.	99½	
5,000	T.&W.1st m. St. Louis Div....	87	
4,000	Del L.&W.1stm.	101	
3,000	C. & P.R.I. & P.R. R 7s.....	103	
1,000	Mor. & Es. 1stm.	102¼	
2,000	Qnin.&To.1stm.	87	
2,000	S L.&I.M.1st.b.	93	
5,000	C.C.&In.Cen.1st	88¼	

16	Bank of Com ...	134	
60	Cum. Coal & Iron.	40	
200	Mariposa Pref....	1¾	
480	Pac. M. S.S. Co...	47	
100	do.....	830.	47
100	Md. Coal Co., b. c.	26	
200	Quick. M. Co.,b. c.	25¾	
100	do.....	b30.	25¾
50	Adams Express...	85	
300	do.....	61¼	
60	Am.M.Union Ex..	59	
50	N. Y. C. & Hud...	92	
4,100	N.Y.Cen.&H.Cfs	87¼	
200	Erie Railway.....	20¾	
200	Har. R. R....b.	120	
20	L.S.&M.S.R.R.b.c.	88½	
28	C.C.Cin.&In.R.R.	85	
100	C. & N. W.....b. c.	61¾	
100	do.....	61¾	
300	do.....	61¼	
300	N. J. Cen. R. R....	111¾	
300	do.....	111½	
100	Chi. & R. I....b. c.	103¾	
100	do.....	103¾	
200	Mil. & St. Paul R.	35	
200	H. & St. Jos. R.R.	53¼	
200	C.C.&In.Cen.R.R.	19¼	
500	Union P. R.R.b. c.	27½	
300	R. H.&E. b. c.b3.	3¾	
300	T. W. do.....b. c.	64	
300	P.Ft.W.&C.Guart. bet. call.....	96	
10	do.....	96¾	
15	do.....	97	

SECOND BOARD.

$500	U. S. 6s. '81, C..	117⅜	
5,000	U. S. 5-20 C., '65	111¾	
5,000	U. S. 5-20 R., '65.	111¼	
1,000	U.S. 5-20 C., '65,n.	113⅜	
4,000	U. S. 5-20 C., '67.	114⅝	
50,000	do.....	114¾	
14,000	U. S. 5s. Cur....	113⅝	
10,000	U. S. 5s, 10-40 R.	109⅝	
10,000	N. C. 6s, Sp.Tax.	15½	
11,000	S. Car. St. 6s, n., Jan. and July.	36½	
5,000	S. Car. St. 6s, April and Oct.	33¼	
2,000	Mich. So. 2d....	97	
2,000	C., R. I. & P. 7s.	102¾	
1,000	U. P. 7s. L. G. bs.	78¾	
4,000	Un. Pac.10s.Inc.	83⅛	
1,000	North Mo. 1st..	87½	
100	Quick. Mm. Co....	28½	
200	Quicksilver Pref..	32	
50	Con. Coal of Md....	43¼	
100	do.....	43¼	

5-20 coup., n. i., '65....	113¾		
5-20 reg., '67.....	114		
5-20 coup., '67.....	114⅝		
5-20 reg., '68.....	114¾		
5-20 coup., '68.....	114¾		
10-40 reg.	109¾		
10-40 coup.....	109¾		
6s, currency.....	113¾		

The following bids were made for the Railway Mortgages:

N. Y. Cen. 6s, '83.....	90	T.& W.1st bds.St.L.D.	87
N. Y. Cen. 6s, '87.....	91	Tol. & W. 2d bds.....	90¼
N. Y. Cen. 6s. R. E....	86	Tol. & W. Eq. bds....	80
N. Y. Cen. 6s, Sub.....	86	Tol. & W. Cons. Con...	66
N. Y. Cen. 7s, '76.....	100	Quincy & T. 1st bds...	87
Erie 1st Mort. Ex.....	99	I. & S. Iowa 1st bds..	87½
Erie 2d Mort. 7s, '79..	93	G. & Chi. Extended..	101¾
Erie 3d Mort. 7s, '83..	90¾	G. & Chi. 2d bds.....	96¾
Erie 4th Mort. 7s, '80..	86	C. R. I. & Pacific....	102¾
Erie 5th Mort. 7s, '88..	85	Morris & Es. 1st bds..	102
B., N. Y. & E. 1st '77..	93¾	Morris & Es. 2d bds..	99¼
Long Dock bds.....	91	C. & Tol. S'king F'd..	101¾
Had. R. 7s, S. F. '85..	100	N. Y. C. & Hud. New..	103
Hud. R. 3d '75.....	100	N. J. C. 2d bds.....	100
Harlem 1st 7s.....	101	P.,Ft. W. & C. 1st bds.	103¼
H.,C.M.& S'kg F.6s..	91	P.,Ft. W. & C. 2d bds.	101
Alb. & Sus. 1st bds...	101	P.,Ft. W. & C. 3d bds.	97
Alb. & Sus. 2d bds....	100	C. Pitts. & Ohio.....	93
M. C. 1st 8s, '82.....	116	C. & Pitts. 3d bds....	96
C., B. & Q. 8 ₱ c. 1st..	110¼	C. & Pitts. 4th bds....	85
M. S. 7 ₱ c. 2d.....	96¾	C. & A. Sinking F'd...	98
M. S. & L.S.F.7s.....	100¼	C. & A. Income.....	93
Pac. R. 7s gurt'd by M.	100	Ohio & Miss. 1st bds..	101
Cen. Pac. Gold bds....	103¾	Ohio & Miss. Cons'td.	93
Union Pac. 1st bds....	91¾	Ohio & Miss. 2d bds..	81¾
Union Pac.L'd G'ts 7s.	79¾	D. & Sioux C. 1st bds.	94¼
Union Pac. Inc. 10s...	83¾	Peninsula R. R. bds..	91
Ill. Cent. 7 ₱ c. '75..	105	St. L. & I. M. 1st bds.	92¾
Alton & T. H. 1st bds.	97	M. & St. P. 1st bds. 8s.	100
Alton & T.H. 2d bds.p.	86	M. & St. P. 1st 7 3-10..	94
Alton & T.H. 3d bds.p.	77	M. & St. P. 1st bds....	94
C. & N. W. S'k'g F'd...100		M. & St. P. 2d bds....	84
C. & N. W. Int. bds....	92¾	Chi. & Mil. 1st bds....	95
C. & N.W.Consol.bds.	93	Col., C. & Ind. 1st bds.	88¾
C. & N. W. 1st bds....	99¼	Col., C. & Ind. 2d bds.	71¾
H. & St. J. C'd Gr'ts..	97	Ft. Wayne & W. 1st..	100
H. & St. J. Convert..	95	T., Peoria & W. W. 8s	89
D., L. & W'n 1st bds..101		T., Peoria & W. 2d....	79
D., L. & W'n 2d bds..	96	N. Y. & N. H. 8s.....	98
Tol. & W. 1st bds. Ex.	95	C. F. & Minn. 1st bds.	84

The following are the closing quotations for the Miscellaneous Stocks:

Maryland Coal Co....	26	Mariposa Mining Co..	1
American Coal Co....	45	Mariposa Min. Co. Pf.	1
Canton Co., Baltimore.	69¾	Mar. Min. Co. Tr. Cfs.	24
N. J. Land Imp. Co...	70	Adams Express.....	85¾
Cons. Coal of Md.....	43¾	Wells-Fargo Express.	57¾
Cumb. Coal & Iron....	40	Wells-Fargo Ex. Sc...	3
Western Union Tel....	67¾	Am. M. U. Express...	59
Quick. Mining Co.....	28¾	U. S. Express.....	58¾
Quick. Mining Co. Pf.	32	Pacific Mail s. S. Co.	46¼

PHILADELPHIA STOCKS—NOV. 27.

[Telegraphed to Messrs. E. D. Randolph & Co.

	Bid.	Asked
City 6s, old.....		100
City 6s, new.....	101¾	101¾
Camden and Amboy.....	133	133½
Pennsylvania Central.....	58½	58¾
Reading.....	114	114⅛
Lehigh Valley.....	89¾	89¾
Catawissa Preferred.....	45½	
Philadelphia and Erie.....	95	95¾
Northern Central.....	38½	39
Lehigh Navigation.....	86	86½
Lehigh Gold Loan.....	93¾	93¾

The overdue Coupons, March 1, 1871, on the Second Mortgage Bonds of the Mobile and Ohio Road, will be paid on presentation by Messrs. DUNCAN, SHERMAN & Co. The Interest on this Mortgage is payable annually, and there seems no reasonable question that the payments now resumed will be regularly continued on the first of March hereafter.

The Governor of Alabama, in his annual message of last week, advises the Legislature that he borrowed on temporary loan, last Summer, through Messrs. DUNCAN, SHERMAN & Co. of New-York, $545,000 required to pay the whole Interest on the direct and indorsed debt of the State, due Jan. 1, 1871, and July 1, 1871, of which $22,452 remains uncalled for on coupons not presented. He recommends the Legislature to make prompt provision for this loan in the present condition of the Alabama and Chattanooga Road, which in its income and property is now under control of the State.

The Chicago and North-west Company have announced the December Dividend, Half-yearly, on their Preferred Stock, 3½ ₱ cent., payable Dec. 28. There is no Dividend made on the Common Stock. The transfers on the Preferred Stock close Dec. 14.

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COMMERCIAL AFFAIRS.

NEW-YORK, Monday, Nov. 27, 1871.

The receipts of the principal kinds of Produce since our last have been as follows:

Ashes, pkgs.....	4	Hides, bales.....	1,318
Broom Corn, bales..	30	Leather, sides.....	17,306
Bees-wax, pks.....	2	Moss, bales.....	18
Cotton, bales.....	7,230	Molasses, N.O., bbls.	1,472
Cotton seed, bags..	936	Spirits Turp., bbls..	879
Copper, bbls.....	20	Tar, bbls.....	197
Copper, casks.....	849	Pitch, bbls.....	123
Dried Fruit, pks....	221	Resin, bbls.....	7,191
Eggs, bbls.....	217	Pork, pks.....	100
Flour, bbls.....	24,072	Beef, pks.....	2,431
Wheat, bushels.....	311,966	Cut-meats, pks.....	885
Corn, bushels.....	917,783	Grease, pks.....	54
Oats, bushels.....	138,602	Lard, pks.....	2,263
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The New-York Times.

NEW-YORK, TUESDAY, NOV. 28, 1871.

Amusements This Evening.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—NIBLO'S—Miss Christina Nilsson.

BOOTH'S THEATRE.—THE PEOPLE'S LAWYER—Mr. John E. Owens.

GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.—PARIS—Miss Ada Grey.

LINA EDWIN'S THEATRE.—LE PONT DES SOUPIRS, (Opera Bouffe.)—Mlle. Aimee.

NIBLO'S GARDEN.—OUR AMERICAN COUSIN—Mr. Sothern.

FIFTH-AVENUE THEATRE.—DIVORCE—Characters by company.

WALLACK'S THEATRE.—ROSEDALE—Mr. Lester Wallack.

OLYMPIC THEATRE.—HUMPTY DUMPTY—Mr. G L. Fox and Kiraly Troupe.

UNION-SQUARE THEATRE.—VARIETY PERFORMANCE.

ST. JAMES' THEATRE.—CATARINA AND BACCHUS—Miss Annie Lonsdale.

WOOD'S MUSEUM.—DRAMATIC PERFORMANCE AND CURIOSITIES—Afternoon and Evening.

GLOBE THEATRE.—VARIETY ENTERTAINMENT. Matinee at 2.

P. T. BARNUM'S MUSEUM, MENAGERIE AND CIRCUS.—Empire rink, day and evening.

NEW-YORK CIRCUS.—EQUESTRIAN, GYMNASTIC AND ATHLETIC FEATS.

BRYANT'S OPERA-HOUSE.—NEGRO MINSTRELSY—FARCES.

ST. PETER'S HALL.—LECTURE by Rev. H. M. Gallaher.

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The WEEKLY TIMES, ten copies, one year, (an extra copy to getter-up of club)	15
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The Grand Jury.

The public are disposed to look to the Grand Jury now in session for some practical work toward bringing the Tammany thieves to justice; but without anticipating the action of this jury, we recommend people to keep their expectations down to a very moderate point. Some eminent authorities have shocked vulgar prejudices by recommending the complete abolition of the Grand Jury as a part of the machinery of justice. Sir HENRY SUMNER MAINE once brought forward in India a distinct proposition to that effect; but the community of Calcutta expressed great indignation at this "infringement upon their liberties," and the plan came to nothing. The proceedings of Grand Juries in this City of late would go far to strengthen the theory that the institution answers no useful purpose. A vast amount of money has been stolen—that is not denied. But, so far, it appears that nobody stole it. Grand Juries meet and ask questions, and can only come to the conclusion that everybody is innocent. The mere existence of the fraudulent warrants—many of them forged—ought to be sufficient proof at least against the persons who signed these warrants. Of old, the accusatory juries, (*jurata delatoria,*) as the Grand Juries were called, presented offenses committed within their district or "hundred," and by that means the offenders were often brought to justice. Now the Grand Jury seems to be intended to screen guilty persons from punishment. It is quite clear that HALL and his friends reckon upon that result now. Judge BEDFORD'S Grand Jury seems likely to be discharged without presenting any bill. Then the *Herald* will say: "Is not this a sufficient exculpation of Mayor HALL? The Grand Jury can find no fault in him. They have had all the evidence before them, and yet they cannot see that the Mayor has been to blame. Let the Mayor's accusers hide their diminished heads."

It is quite clear that Mayor HALL might have prevented these frauds. He could have absolutely withheld his signature from the warrants, and then they would not have been paid. Mr. TILDEN has told us that a mandamus could not have been obtained against him—he could not even have been *forced* to sign the warrants. But he did not wait for compulsion. He became a party to the embezzlement without a protest. Upon the theory that he is not punishable, any clerk or cashier might rob his employer and get off with a feather in his cap. A watchman might admit a burglar to his master's premises, and then say he received no share of the plunder, and so escape all unpleasant consequences, and find many "influential" papers cordially on his side.

District-Attorney GARVIN, in his examination before "IKEY" OLIVER'S Grand Jury, admitted that the Mayor might be indicted for misdemeanor. This is a portion of his statement:

"By Mr. JACKSON, to the District-Attorney:

Question.—What is the *gravamen* of the complaint against Mayor HALL?

District-Attorney GARVIN: A.—Neglecting to inquire into the correctness, justice, or legality of fraudulent claims hereinafter specified, and willfully and intentionally neglecting to brand all such claims as fraudulent, and to prosecute those who presented the same, and willfully and intentionally neglecting to refuse to countersign the warrants upon which all such fraudulent claims were paid.

Q.—Is this a statutory misdemeanor? A.—It is: 'Any officer of the City Government, or person employed in its service, who shall willfully violate or evade any provision of this act, or commit any fraud upon the City, or convert any public property to his own use, or knowingly permit any other person so to convert it, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor.'"

The legal quibble may be raised that the Mayor did not "*knowingly*" conspire to defraud the public—but the question whether he did or not is well worth bringing to trial. Mr. TILDEN pledges his professional reputation to the statement that Mayor HALL "knew that it was a fraudulent violation of duty to pass the claims" of KEYSER, INGERSOLL, and the rest of them. In Mr. TILDEN'S speech, and in Mr. FOLEY'S letter to the Mayor of Aug. 19, the facts are fully set forth. Mr. FOLEY points out that all the claims paid for work in 1870 were passed by the *ad interim* Board of Supervisors, which consisted of HALL, CONNOLLY and TWEED. Says Mr. FOLEY: "Here, therefore, is the evidence conclusive that the responsibility does rest with you, and the Controller and Mr. TWEED, for all the payments made to INGERSOLL, GARVEY, MILLER, KEYSER, the SMITHS and others, during the year 1870, and that these claims amount in the aggregate to the enormous sum of $6,312,541 37."

But, it is said by the *Tribune*, you cannot prove that HALL took any part of this money. Certainly it is hard to get direct evidence as to the amount of profit he received, but the broad fact remains that he was a direct party to the fraud—nay, that without him the fraud could never have been committed. He can be at once proceeded against for breach of trust,—take the minor charge first, and perhaps that will lead to discoveries affecting the graver one. At any rate, the Grand Jury ought not to separate without thoroughly satisfying themselves that HALL is beyond their reach. If they find that, then we may as well say at once to cashiers, clerks, and other persons in positions of trust: "You may cheat your employers as much as you please, so long as you are not found with any of the stolen property in your possession."

Russia and Austria.

People in both hemispheres have come to consider a great European war as one of the probabilities of the immediate future. The existence of such a belief is perhaps the best argument that could be adduced in favor of the possibility of the event itself. Such an opinion may be partly due to the ground-swell of excitement which followed the termination of the Franco-German struggle. On the other hand, the surprising revolution in the relative strength of European nations, which that war brought about, has been the means of exciting the ambition of some, and stimulating the fears of others. It has had the further effect of showing that the possession of a perfect military machine is a very indispensable requisite to national greatness in Europe, and, indeed, is the only sure guarantee of national existence. Before France threw down her rash challenge to Germany, the attitude of European Powers to each other was that of an armed peace—hardly less expensive than war. Since the capitulation of Paris, the mailed glove has not been drawn off; in fact, the tendency has been to make the national arms stronger and more impenetrable. All this is very deplorable, no doubt, and is exactly the reverse of what many good people expected. Seeing that it exists, however, it is hardly to be wondered at if little international difficulties in the Old World have been very uneasily watched of late. When nations vie with each other in perfecting their machinery of slaughter, it is not unreasonable to suppose that the desire of using these edged tools may be developed very much in proportion to the time and money spent in grinding them.

Keeping in view such considerations, a cable dispatch about the military preparations of Russia reads rather less absurdly than it otherwise might do. The connection between the appointment of Count ANDRASSY as head of the Imperial Council of Austria, and the formation by Russia of two vast fortified camps, may not strike the ordinary reader as being particularly obvious. The fact that ANDRASSY is a Hungarian, and fought in 1848 for the national autonomy of his country, may not greatly help to elucidate the mystery. When it is further remembered, however, that of the fifteen millions of population in the Kingdom of Hungary, there are only a little over five millions of the dominant Magyar race, the remainder being mostly of Slavonic origin, and, therefore, natural allies of Russia, it will be understood that while the policy of Austria is controlled by a Hungarian it must be hostile to the eastern policy of her northern neighbor. As a well-informed correspondent puts it—

"Of all Austrian provinces, not one has a greater interest in the pursuit of an Anti-Russian policy than Hungary. The very existence of Hungary is based upon her antagonism to Russia. Should the Slaves on the Balkan peninsula ever attain the dominant position Russia avowedly endeavors to procure them, the Slaves in the neighboring Kingdom of Hungary are sure likewise to proceed from words to action, and will forcibly remonstrate against the rule of a Magyar minority. On no one point are the Magyars of all parties so entirely agreed as on the necessity of their interfering should Russia ever attempt to realize her Oriental designs. To prepare for this contingency, an alliance has been entered into between leading members of the Magyar and Polish nobility, whose object is to operate conjointly against Russia at a given moment. This connexion dates from the time after Sedan, when the Poles ceased to rely upon France, and were but too glad to avail themselves of Magyar overtures."

Of course, the cable dispatch and the opinion we have quoted represent merely the political speculation of the time. The fact that all this speculation is so restless and bold in character is perhaps more alarming than the immediate subject with which it deals. Had NAPOLEON III. not been sustained by the almost entire public opinion of France, in so far, at least, as it found articulate expression, this declaration of war against Germany would have been so much idle breath. It had become a fixed impression in France and Germany that they must fight each other some day, and it was as much a mutual relief as anything else, to find that the time of suspense was at an end. In the same way, it is becoming in Central and Eastern Europe a fixed idea that Russia is going to take an early opportunity of absorbing, by federation or otherwise, the kindred populations that lie upon her southern frontier. Probably civilization might gain from such a process, even were it to be pushed so far as to drive Mohammedan rule out of Europe. But certainly, the Austro-Hungarian Empire would go to pieces in the event of any such advance of Russia. Nor could Germany safely stand by and see such a consummation, unless she were permitted to make such sweeping annexation on the Baltic and the North Sea as would drive all Europe into arms. When Russia will show her hand is rather an open question. She may have made ANDRASSY'S elevation the occasion of beginning some extra preparations for future war, but it is exceedingly probable that these fortified camps are merely part of a huge plan which is as yet far from being perfect. Besides, Count ANDRASSY, strong as he is in Pesth, is not so strong in Vienna as Count BEUST was, and may any day yield to the same pressure which drove out his predecessor. The uneasy relations between Russia and Austria will continue all the same, however, and unforeseen circumstances may at any time lend them a new feature of danger to the peace of the world.

The New Era.

We have never believed that the great Reform, begun in our Municipal affairs, would be restricted to a mere change in the City Government. The truth has evidently at length taken hold of the minds of the people, that something beside the skill of a professional politician must be looked for in filling a public office. Fitness is beginning to be considered. Offices at last are seeking men, and not men offices. In our view, the great cause of civil service reform never received such an impulse as from this recent overthrow of the Ring. The indifferent and comfortable classes have risen. All parties have wished to put the government of this City in capable and honest hands. During this Winter, at least, the right men will be wanted for the right places. Of course the party wire-pullers, the professional politicians, will strain every nerve to fill important places with their own creatures. But the present aroused state of public feeling will permit no huckstering with City offices. We have little question that the best officials ever chosen will be presented to the next Legislature for our City Departments.

When Mayor HALL appears to appoint Mr. GREEN as Controller, it is not he that does it. It is the great body of Reformers of all parties, who demand it in tones which Mr. HALL cannot disregard. When he follows our suggestions, and places Mr. STEBBINS at the head of the Board of Parks, it is not he who appoints, but the general public, who feel that this is the most fitting appointment for such a position.

The nomination of Mr. CHURCH to the Board by Mr. STEBBINS, and his subsequent election, is one of those events which belongs to "the new era." The minutes of the Board represent him as taking the place of Mr. SWEENY. The contrast between the two officials is suggestive. One was a vulgar demagogue, a perfect adept in the trickery of politics, rolling in wealth wrung by fraud from the earnings of honest labor, the intellectual head of the Ring, but utterly incompetent for his position. His successor, on the other hand, has no political following, knows nothing of the tricks of the political trade, but is an artist of national distinction, has studied his branch of art with care, and combines the rare union of mechanical ability and practical skill with high æsthetic capacity. He represents in the Board the artistic element of our society which ought to be represented there. Best of all, the office has sought him, and not he the office.

In at once reappointing the distinguished landscape artists, Messrs. VAUX & OLMSTED, the Park Commissioners show that they appreciate the demands of the time; for, beyond almost any officials in this City, these gentlemen have always conducted their public work without the smallest regard to political consequences.

In the reorganization of other Boards, we trust that the Legislature will bear in mind the requirements of this great reform. Let us have no more Boards as hospitals for broken-down politicians, or as sources of private speculation for men who only draw the salaries. Take the Board of Charities and Correction for instance. Who is there on that Board, except Gen. BROWN, who understands anything of the great subject of charity and pauperism with which they have to deal? It is a Board which ought to command the services of our most intelligent and responsible citizens, and which should embrace some of the experts of charity and the students of social science. Fancy "ALECK FREAR" and Mr. BRENNAN deciding a nice question in economical and charitable science!

Then, again, on the Board of Health, there are men who are mere tools of Tammany, and know no more of sanitary matters than they do of Hebrew. The whole Commission needs a thorough overhauling. The Police Commission, also, has within it some of the most contemptible party tricksters that ever disgraced a free community, men who once wore the garb of special sanctity to cover their political gambling. The Board of Emigration, as is well known, has become a nuisance, and we trust will soon be superseded by Congress. The former respectable Commissioners have been replaced by Tammany tools like FREAR, and BARR, the Erie Railroad agent. The Board of Education has, indeed, some better men within it than are found in the other Boards, but there are also members of it who have not the slightest knowledge or experience in educational matters. Plenty of men could be found in this City of the highest character who have made the science of education their study for a life-time. These are the kind of candidates that should be presented for the next Board.

When we hear the rumor that the name which HALL is forced to present, as that of successor to TWEED, in the Board of Public Works, is CRAVEN, we can judge how powerfully the demands of the new reform are working, even on a political gambler like HALL. He is obliged to recognize character and fitness. Great numbers of the most important places will necessarily be filled, directly or indirectly, by the next Legislature. We trust that there will be means used by some independent body, like the "Committee of Seventy," to present the very best names, of whatever party, as nominees—men who are fit for the places, and experts in the field in which they will work. Should such men be chosen, then will civil service reform have begun, even in this City.

A Witness for the Grand Jury.

There has not been a Grand Jury impaneled in any county of the State, or of the United States, outside New-York, since our exposures of the Ring robberies, that would not long ago have found criminal indictments against TWEED, SWEENY, CONNOLLY and HALL on the uncontradicted evidence published in the TIMES. That evidence was of a more positive character, and furnished more conclusive proof of the guilt of these parties, than is submitted to Grand Juries in nine cases out of ten where indictments are found by them. And yet, notwithstanding nine out of ten of our citizens and tax-payers are fully convinced that the larger portion of the millions of dollars that have been stolen from the City Treasury has gone into the pockets of the "Ring," no indictment has yet been found against any one of them, and we have the best reasons for repeating our belief that none will be. These reasons are the patent and undisputed fact that the entire machinery of criminal justice in this City, from the policeman or Sheriff who makes the arrest, down to the prison-keeper who guards the criminal after his conviction—including the prosecuting attorney who conducts the case for the people, the Commissioner who impanels the Grand and Petit Juries, and (in most cases) the Judge who tries the prisoner—is, and has been for years, under the control of the very men whom it is sought to bring to justice. They are all the creatures of the men whom they are now called upon to arraign for their crimes; they have been their political associates or dependents; they have sympathized with them from the beginning of their troubles, and we will venture to say that every one of them voted for their nominees for office three weeks ago today. Such being the facts, we shall be prepared to believe that there is a *bona fide* intention or desire on their part to bring these men to justice, whenever we see them convicted and sent to Sing Sing, and not before.

Nevertheless, we are disposed to do all that lies in our power to aid the new Grand Jury, now in session, in doing their duty, or in leaving them without excuse if they fail to do it. The last Grand Jury amused themselves (and disgusted the public) by enacting, as best they could, the farce written out for them by that distinguished dramatic author, OAKEY HALL, who was so pleased with the performance that he has caused it to be published, in instalments, in the New-York *Tribune*. The leading actor in the farce appears to have been one "IKE" OLIVER, a Tammany Republican, whose son has long held a sinecure office under the Ring, and who has himself enjoyed at sundry times the privilege of sucking at the Tammany teat. IKE'S idea of the duties of a Grand Juryman was that no indictment ought to be found against a thief unless somebody would swear that he actually saw him steal the money, and could prove that he had it in his breeches pocket. The well-established principle that circumstantial evidence is oftentimes stronger and more convincing than the positive testimony of eye witnesses, was entirely ignored by "IKE" OLIVER. With him seeing, alone, was believing. The *Tribune*, ever anxious to aid OAKEY HALL, took up the same cue, and paraded the interrogatories of "IKE" as conclusive evidence that HALL was an innocent man. It was an infamous outrage, in the eyes of the *Tribune*, that any man should be charged with stealing, unless the person making the charge was prepared to swear that he saw the theft committed with his own eyes. This principle being thus established, as sound *Tribune* doctrine, we may expect, of course, that every man connected with that high-toned sheet will scrupulously abide by it. It gives us great pleasure, therefore, to be able to point out to the new Grand Jury where they can obtain witnesses who have positive proof, derived from actual sight, that at least two of the four members of the Ring are thieves and robbers. In yesterday's *Tribune* we find under the heading "To Merchants and Shippers," in the editorial columns, the following remarkable statements:

"The revolution in the City Government was brought about by revelations of *the actual theft of about six million dollars*, and the waste of an additional thirty million dollars. Immense as these sums are they are only fractions of the amounts lost to New-York annually by the false Tammany policy, which is destroying our commerce and which yet remains to ruin us though Tammany be dead. That policy robs us less directly than the more infamous one of TWEED, WOODWARD, and CONNOLLY, *who appropriated millions on forged paper and false claims.*"

Here we have the direct charge that there has been an "actual theft" of six millions of dollars from the City Treasury, and that three men, whose names are given, "appropriated millions on forged paper and false claims." Now let the Grand Jury forthwith summon Mr. GREELEY before them, and call upon him to prove these astounding charges. Let him show, if he can, what evidence he has to prove TWEED, CONNOLLY and WOODWARD thieves, that would not be equally strong against his friend HALL. If he has any proof against either of these men, other than the facts and figures published weeks ago in the TIMES, he ought to be made to disclose it; if he has not, then, to quote the elegant language of the *Tribune*, he has been "chattering slander with as little sense of responsibility as a magpie."

Official Returns of the Election.

The official canvass shows that the Republican ticket received, at the last election, a majority of 18,895. This is a "gain" of 51,991 over last year—i. e., the Republican ticket this year received 20,671 votes more than last year, and the Democratic ticket 31,320 less. The whole of this Republican increase, and more, must be credited to New-York and Brooklyn, where the Republicans cast 25,587 more votes than last year. These votes were cast almost entirely by Republicans who neglected to vote last year, rather than by electors who last year voted the Democratic ticket. This is shown by the fact that the Democratic vote in the two cities referred to was only 6,470 less this year than last. The total vote in the State fell off 10,649, the Republican vote outside of the Cities of New-York and Brooklyn showing a decrease of 4,916. These figures prove that the bulk of the work for the Republican State ticket was done in the City of New-York, and with the citizens of Brooklyn who mainly do business in New-York. We ought to add, however, that in Westchester County, the home of many thousands of New-Yorkers, a clean specimen of conversion is shown—a Democratic majority of 2,320 being changed to a Republican majority of 2,141, on a total vote increased only five per cent.

To nearly the same extent that Republican gains were made in the City of New-York and its neighborhood, Democratic losses were shown in the country. Of the total decrease in the Democratic vote, five-sixths, or 24,850, is found in the country. The two facts, therefore, which stand clearly out in these returns are, first, that with any cause that appeals to their consciences, the Republicans of the City can be brought to the polls; and second, that when such a cause is in issue, the Democrats of the country will not respond to mere partisan appeals. It is for the representatives of the Republican Party in the Legislature to say whether next year, when the campaign for the Presidency is pending, the party shall retain the intelligent and conscientious support in State matters which it has this year enlisted. With sensible and upright action on their part, the splendid gain of this year may be made permanent. They have only to deserve continued success in order to receive it.

The Children's Aid Society.

Yesterday the officers of the Children's Aid Society were compelled to report to their friends the shameful fact that its beneficent work had been hampered by the failure of the City to pay an appropriation of thirty-one thousand dollars due to it this year. The Treasury could be robbed, on Mayor HALL'S motion and by means of his signature, of six millions of dollars in a few hours; but a charity of unobjectionable character and acknowledged efficiency has, at the beginning of Winter, been deprived of the money due to it. The officers have no recourse but to call on our citizens to be prompt and generous with their contributions. By this means alone can the Society hope to answer, during the next two months, the heavy demands made upon it.

Certainly the work it is doing is worthy of the most hearty support. It is a right work. There is not a single drawback or qualification to its usefulness. If we give reluctantly to institutions which deal with grown persons, feeling that in this country vice of some sort lies at the root of obstinate poverty, we need have no such feeling in this case. The Society is just what its name implies. It is for "children's aid." It gathers the objects of its bounty from the surroundings of poverty, temptation, and degradation, seeks to teach them the beginning of a useful life, tries to give them the elements of some honest industry, and then, as far as possible, places them in good homes, with simple duties, healthy physical and moral surroundings, and a fair chance for an honorable career.

Surely there need be no thought in connection with this work of encouraging idleness—no suspicion of imposture such as haunts the free giver only too frequently in answering the appeals made on every side. This Society is working at the enormous task of dealing with poverty and crime where work tells for prevention instead of cure, and the old maxim was never so completely borne out that an ounce of one is as good as a pound of the other.

We might quote figures to show the extent of the Society's achievement in this work. It is enough to say that it has been substantially sucessful from the first, and that as its field widens every year, so also its ability to intelligently and thoroughly fill it also increases.

We advise our readers to visit some of the schools of the Society, of which the list is given in another column, or some of the lodging-houses. They will then understand what the nature and efficiency of the instrumentalities of the Society are, and they will understand better than we can tell them, how strong its claim is on their benevolence. We again earnestly appeal for contributions to this admirable charity—they may be sent to Mr. C. L. BRACE, Children's Aid Society, No. 19 East Fourth-street.

MINOR TOPICS.

Controller GREEN made a timely motion at yesterday's meeting of the Board of Apportionment. It was to the effect that the Court-house Commissioners should be required to report what claims are outstanding, and how much will be required for the absolute completion of the building. We have pitched money enough down this abyss of Court-house extravagance and plunder, and the existing Commissioners will be much better employed between this and January next in figuring up their present and prospective liabilities, than in handling another half million of the people's money. After that, it is to be hoped that the new Legislature will give us Commissioners who may be honest enough to be trusted with the completion of the greatest monument of fraud on this Continent.

We are desired to contradict the report which has obtained currency as to the names of the persons appointed by Mr. GREELEY "to assist in the enactment of a Reform City charter." The persons are not WILLIAM M. TWEED, THOMAS C. FIELDS, THOMAS J. BARR, JOHN J. BRADLEY, PETER B. SWEENY and THOMAS COMAN. The men really appointed by Mr. GREELEY are DANIEL D. CONOVER, GEORGE T. COACHMON, Health Board, $1,500; JAMES MCLAREN, Inspector of Oils, $2,500; JOHN M. COSTA, Tammany Court Clerk, $3,000 a year; JAMES L. HASTIE, printer to Health Board, $10,000 a year; JOSEPH B. POLLOCK, Secretary to HANK SMITH, $3,000 a year; JOTHAM WILSON, Charities and Correction; GEO. H. VAN CLEFT, City Surveyor, $3,000 a year; JOHN V. GRIDLEY; HENRY SMITH, Police Commissioner, member of the Americus Club and President of Bowling-green Savings Bank; BENJAMIN F. MANIERRE, Police Commissioner. To these have been added JOHN FITCH, STEPHEN A. KNAPP, BENJAMIN A. WILLIS, JOHN COCHRANE, and one or two others. Lest it should be supposed that some one is perpetrating a stupid joke in publishing the names of the above persons as Reformers, we state in serious earnestness that Mr. GREELEY'S Rump Committee on Saturday night appointed the persons named to "assist in the enactment of a Reform City charter."

The Harlem Tax-payers' Committee have succeeded in giving an accurate idea of the extent of the Ninth District Court-house swindle. A committee of practical builders and masons made a careful and unprejudiced valuation of the labor and materials employed in the work. This shows a total of $46,500 against $244,800, the latter being the sum actually expended on the building up to August last, less the cost of the ground. As the first fruits of a new mine of plunder, opened under the auspices of TWEED himself, with GENET and other worthies for partners, the sum of $198,000 of net stealings is not amiss. This little revelation will help the tax-payers of Harlem to appreciate how much they have gained by the overthrow of the Ring.

Mayor HALL appeared at the meeting of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, yesterday, in his usual character of an apologist for extravagance and an obstacle to Reform. In the face of Controller GREEN'S report that Messrs. MULLER and BLEECKER, the appraisers of the City real estate, would be amply paid by fees of $3,000 each and an allowance of $6,590 for actual outlay, HALL moved that fees of $15,000 should be paid to each of the appraisers, who demanded remuneration for their services. So far as Mr. BLEECKER is concerned, this resolution was carried, and if Messrs. MULLER and PALMER make a similar demand, it cannot, of course, be refused. In addition to his other claims upon the gratitude of the City, Mayor HALL has thus earned the new one of having made the public Treasury liable for $39,000 more than the people had any right to pay. There was no legal obligation, as Controller GREEN showed, to make such a payment, and if any change of shabbiness could lie against an empty Treasury, it would be sufficiently answered by the opinion of Controller GREEN, formed after due examination, that $15,000 fees were "grossly exorbitant." Mr. BLEECKER'S counsel stated that his client's claim against the City was supposed by Mr. SAMUEL J. TILDEN to be worth $80,000, and that Mr. TILDEN had paid $67,000 for an assignment of the claim. Mr. GREEN'S estimate, therefore, that $3,000 was the actual worth of Mr. BLEECKER'S services, shows how very arbitrary is the value of the time of appraisers of real estate.

In another column will be found some forcible expressions of opinion on the part of victims of the mismanagement of the Fourth-avenue cars, and of the internal arrangements of the Grand Central depot. It is certainly not calculated to enhance the value of property in Westchester County, for the business public to discover that they can be conveyed to the slopes of the Jersey hills almost as soon as they can reach Harlem River by rail. Property-owners may, therefore, be excused a little warmth in talking of the cars and the depot, and the City which thus finds its natural line of advance obstructed by officialism and bungling, has also a vital interest in seeing the grievances of Westchester and up-town residents attended to.

From present indications, Mr. VOORHEES, of Indiana, does not relish the dose of "passivism" commended to the Democracy by the St. Louis *Republican*. He is out with a card, published this morning, urging a Democratic National Convention to meet not later than the 22d of February, 1872, "in order that an organization shall be perfected and confidence restored by the time the approaching campaign is upon us." When the Convention has accomplished this important work, he advises that it "should adjourn to a day fixed for the nomination of a candidate for the Presidency." Mr. VOORHEES is a candidate for the nomination from the Democracy. He is evidently ready to present his claims immediately, and he probably does not think his competitors are. If the party follow his advice, and authorize a Convention now, it will be one of the most remarkable confessions of weakness ever yet made by any organization of respectable pretensions in American politics.

AMUSEMENTS.

Italian Opera.

THE GRAND DUKE AT THE ACADEMY.

Last night will be long remembered by all who were present at the Academy. The appearance of the house was extremely magnificent. Mr. STRAKOSCH was resolved that there should be no mistake this time about "full dress," and an intimation that nothing less was expected, or, constructively, would be allowed, was therefore printed on the tickets of admission. The ladies of fashionable society turned out in splendid force, and the toilettes were such as fairly did honor to the Metropolis. We need scarcely state that the presence of the Grand Duke ALEXIS was the chief incentive for this exceptional display, or that that young nobleman, who, with his suite, occupied a large proscenium box, handsomely decorated with Russian and American flags, on the grand tier, was the centre of admiring attraction. This should be qualified by the remark that it was only thus while Mlle. NILSSON was not on the stage; for, when she was the charming cantatrice fairly absorbed the admiration of the house.

Perhaps "Faust" has never been better sung in New-York than on this occasion. Whether the Grand Duke, or the "full dress," or the feeling that national pride was in a manner at stake, had most to do with the result, we need not pause to inquire. Doubtless each of these considerations had its effect. At any rate, when combined, the product was hardly to be surpassed. Mlle. NILSSON gained fresh Laurels in *Marguerite*, singing with exquisite tenderness and finish. M. CAPOUL improved on his previous impassioned interpretation of *Faust*, and M. JANET was really admirable in *Mephistopheles*. In other respects the performance was satisfactory, and the management may congratulate themselves on a success of rare magnitude. The Grand Duke was received by the house with immense cordiality, and the Russian national hymn added to the musical entertainment of the evening. To-night the subscribers are to be remunerated for their much resented exclusion on Monday, by the fourth representation of "Mignon."

Musical.

OPERA BOUFFE AT LINA EDWIN'S.

Mlle. AIMEE brought out at Lina Edwin's Theatre, last evening, OFFENBACH'S opera "Le Pont des Soupirs." The very diverting character of the story, the ear-taking qualities of the music, the capital singing and acting of Mlle. AIMEE, and the exhibition of fresh and picturesque scenery and costumes, produced an impression to which oft-repeated applause bore flattering testimony. The story of "Le Pont des Soupirs" is summarized thus: In the first act, the Admiral Doge *Cornarino Cornarini*, having forsaken his fleet, which he believes to have been sunken by the enemy, reaches Venice in disguise, with his equerry, *Baptiste*. Finding *Amoroso*, a page, and his cousin *Malatromba*, serenading *Catarina*, his wife, he seeks to enter his palace unseen, in order to test her fidelity. Unable to obtain access through the doors, the two seek to reach the windows, and succeed, just after learning, from the lips of the public crier, that the Council of Ten, aware of the defeat of *Cornarino*, have sentenced him and his faithful follower to death. In the second act, *Cornarino* and *Baptiste* are within the palace. They assume the garb of two of *Malatromba's* spies, and watch the persecution of *Catarina* by *Malatromba*, who loves the lady, but with little encouragement. Before the curtain falls *Cornarino* and *Baptiste* are found; but as they are not recognized, they declare themselves bearers of news from the fleet, and ask to be at once conducted before the Council of Ten. When the curtain rises for the third act the Council of Ten is in session. *Cornarino* and *Baptiste*, still in disguise, are led into its presence. They convince the Council of *Cornarino's* death, to the great satisfaction of *Malatromba*, who wishes to be chosen Doge. But *Catarina* and *Amoroso* mistaking *Cornarino* and *Baptiste* for *Malatromba's* men, cause them to be discovered, and the two are led off to execution, while *Malatromba* is appointed Doge. A few minutes after going forth however, tidings are received that *Cornarino's* flight was but a ruse, and that his fleet has been victorious. The Council at once rushes forth to prevent the execution of the sentence, and the scene closes on the picture of *Malatromba's* confusion. The opening incidents of the last act are illustrative of a carnival in Venice. When the thread of the story is taken up, it is ascertained that as *Cornarino's* life has been saved, two Doges are now in power. So it is decided that a tourney shall rid the State of one of the potentates. *Cornarino* and *Malatromba* meet, and *Cornarino* is defeated. *Malatromba* mercifully spares his foe, and banishes him, his wife and the page to Spain. A merry finale embodies the sentence and ends the opera. More than this review of the plot we cannot find space for at present. The score is full of vivacious writing, but has few numbers of importance in point of effect, and none to be mentioned beside the composer's best-known tunes. We shall, however, recur to OFFENBACH'S share of the performance, and also to the very creditable recital of "Le Pont des Soupirs," by Mlle. AIMEE and her company. The first representation was witnessed by an audience that filled the house, and whose laughter and demonstrations of delight forecast a long run for the novelty.

MR. SANTLEY AT STEINWAY HALL.

To-night Mr. DOLBY'S first concert for the present series is given at Steinway Hall. The programme is exceedingly rich and alluring, and no concert this season has been better worthy of attention. We printed on Sunday the list of pieces to be sung, and that emphatically confirms our present statement. Mr. SANTLEY is to sing some superb *scenas*, and Mme. PATEY, Mr. CUMMINGS and Miss EDITH WYNNE have selections worthy of their fine powers. We hope the house at Steinway Hall to-night will be in every way commensurate with the admirable merits of Mr. SANTLEY, and the excellent artists who sustain him.

Dramatic.

"PARIS" AT THE GRAND OPERA-HOUSE.

Last evening a rather meagre audience assembled at the Grand Opera-house to see what was announced to be an entirely new, pictorial, romantic and realistic drama, by Mr. T. C. DE LEON. This appears to be a delusion of the author, unless, indeed, a new, pictorial, romantic and realistic drama can be constructed without either characters, dialogue or plot. The commendable ambition of our native playwrights has doubtless achieved worse plays than this, but it has not been our fortune to see them. It is but simple justice to say that from beginning to end, "Paris" is unmitigated trash of the dreariest and most common-place sort. To attempt to describe it would be labor thrown away. A number of people come upon the stage, declare themselves to be Frenchmen, Zouaves, Communists or Americans, as the case may be, utter sentiments of various degrees of insipidity, interspersed with various eccentric mispronunciations of the few French words thrown in to give local coloring, and go off without apparent purpose or aim. The rest is blue fire and calcium lights, and so on through three maddening acts and a prologue. So stimulated to dullness by the playwright, most of the actors last night did their best apparently to do their worst. With the exception of Miss ADA GRAY'S performance of *Thérese*, which was at times spirited and pleasing, none of the performers merit remark. But the scenery we may unqualifiedly praise. The setting of this tawdry paste jewel is indeed wonderfully fine, and that may a little while redeem it from the contempt which otherwise it richly deserves. We speak strongly of this wretched performance because it is the encouragement of just such fustian which has hitherto left us without anything worthy to be called a national drama. It must be confessed, however, that the same cause has contributed to bring our scene painters and stage carpenters to a high degree of excellence. Many of the tableaux in "Paris" are striking in the extreme, and the burning of what the actors prefer to call the *Tuileries*, in the last act, is an effect of such startling beauty as has seldom been equaled on the Metropolitan stage. For this our readers may safely venture to endure the dreariness of "Paris" once. Perhaps, also, there may be found a certain sort of compensation in its very unique irredeemable badness.

THE MORMONS.

Brigham Young's Flight—His Case Called for Trial—Specious Excuses Offered—Counsel to be Asked for Amnesty—Polygamy to be Abandoned.

From Our Own Correspondent.

SALT LAKE CITY, Tuesday, Nov. 21, 1871.

The silence which has so long shrouded the flight of BRIGHAM YOUNG is at last broken by his counsel, and we are assured that the Prophet is simply absent on a journey for the benefit of his health. The action against him for "lewd and lascivious cohabitation" was called in the Third District Court yesterday morning, when his counsel, Major HEMPSTEAD, asked for a continuance until the March Term, on the ground of the absence of his client, who had been advised by his physician to seek a warmer climate, on account of his delicate state of health. As an additional ground for delay, the fact of Mr. FITCH's absence was also urged, that gentleman being engaged in a lecturing tour in the Eastern States. Major HEMPSTEAD asserted that President YOUNG had no desire to evade the process of the Court, or to place himself beyond its jurisdiction, but he carefully refrained from any disclosures as to his present whereabouts and movements. That any credence is to be attached to these specious suggestions, neither Mormons nor Gentiles believe. The average invalid is not accustomed to depart for a more genial climate at the hour of midnight, attended by an armed escort, with the accompaniment of jingling spurs and "flashing sabres," and it may well be doubted whether a rapid journey night and day over Utah roads, with all the speed of which horseflesh is capable, is conducive to the comfort and recovery of a sick man.

This application for a continuance of his cause lends additional weight to the circumstance of BRIGHAM's flight, since a similar application was refused some weeks since, and this could not have been made with any hope of success. The proposition that a prisoner under indictment may voluntarily put himself beyond the jurisdiction of the Court, and then, with four hundred miles intervening between himself and judicial process, may make such absence the foundation of a motion for a continuance, is too absurd. The Court declined to grant the application, and it is expected that an early day will be named for the trial. Of course, in the absence of the defendant his bail will be forfeited, but it is understood that the amount, five thousand dollars, has already been raised by subscription, chiefly in this city.

The criminal calendar, comprising all the indictments for polygamy, together with several indictments against leading Mormons for the crime of murder, was called yesterday morning, and, with hardly an exception, defendants' counsel in every case demanded a continuance until the March Term, 1872. These applications, ostensibly to allow time to prepare their defense, have in reality quite a different significance. Most of the indictments were found more than two months since, warrants were issued, the defendants were immediately arrested, and they have had all the intervening time to prepare for trial. It is not difficult to fathom the real purpose of this combined attempt at delay: since it has transpired that an organized effort will be put forth at the coming session of Congress to secure a general amnesty for past polygamous practices, on condition of renouncing the system in the future. Two prominent Federal officials in this city have been approached within the past fortnight to secure their influence in bringing the matter before Congress. The proposition, I need hardly add, was promptly declined, but the fact remains that such an effort is to be made, and that HOOPER's continued absence in Washington has an intimate connection with the new movement. It is pretty generally believed, also, that TOM FITCH's Eastern trip has not been undertaken with an eye single to the delivery of his prettily written lecture upon your lyceum platforms, but that he will be present at the opening of Congress to set the ball in motion.

The plan, so far as developed, contemplates the admission of Utah to the Union as a full-fledged State, upon sufficient guarantees that polygamy will be eliminated from her social system, the Government granting an unconditional pardon for all past offenses. Without hazarding any conjectures as to the propriety of such a course, one or two results that would inevitably follow may be safely predicated, with our present light upon the subject. First of all would follow the triumphant return of BRIGHAM YOUNG from exile, and his sure election to the Governorship of the new State. A seat in the United States Senate, the bauble for which TOM FITCH has bartered his birthright, would reward the devotion of his talents to the Mormon cause, while the struggle as to his associate would doubtless be between JOHN TAYLOR and GEORGE D. CANNON, editor of the *Deseret News*. HOOPER would be retained in the House, where his long experience has given his services increased value. A Mormon judiciary would follow, as of course, and the condition of Gentile residents in Utah under such a régime I leave to your readers to conjecture.

The spread of the social evil in Utah, with the growth and development of our mining interests, is attracting considerable attention of late, and various and conflicting views are suggested in explanation of the fact that prostitution is on the increase. The Church organs contend that it is due solely to the advent of what they are pleased to term the "Gentile Ring," and the institution of the present State trials. Arguing from the fact that half a dozen years since prostitution was unknown in the Territory, and that it and the "Ring" have both appeared since, these journals insist that the one is the legitimate sequence of the other. It has formed the burden of a score of leaders in each of the Church organs, and the same absurd and illogical statements are taken up by the pulpit, and form the substance of Sunday-afternoon harangues, before the gaping thousands who assemble in the Tabernacle. That the Federal officers of Utah, a body of men who, in purity of private life and morals may safely challenge comparison with any in the land, are at all responsible for the increase of the social evil here, no thinking man will for a moment believe. Prostitution is one of those social phenomena which, in the presence of certain conditions, are developed with the same unerring certainty as the growth of the seed planted by the husbandman. Given the elements of a rapid increase of wealth resulting from the development of our mines, with the influx of a large and floating population of miners, unfettered by social restraints or domestic ties, and prostitution follows as surely as the rotation of the seasons or the succession of day and night. Prosperous mining communities supply the conditions for its growth as certainly as do mighties cities or large armies. This has been the history of every mining town upon the Pacific coast, and so it must continue to the end. Religion shrinks back from contact with the unclean thing, prohibition cannot avert it, and legislation is powerless before its sure approach.

That Utah has hitherto been remarkably free from the social evil I cheerfully concede. For the causes of this comparative purity of morals we have not far to go. In a state of society where every man has been at liberty to enjoy the unfettered gratification of his lust under priestly sanction, or, as expressed by THOMAS HAWKINS, "doing religious duties," prostitutes have found little encouragement to ply their infamous traffic. Add to this the fact that, under the sanction of the Church, every offender against female chastity was visited with death, and the explanation is complete. Whatever else may be said against the Latter Day Saints, at must be conceded that, aside from their polygamous practices, the standard of female virtue has been higher here than among any civilized people of the century.

The fact that the sessions of the present term of Judge MCKEAN's Court have hitherto been held over a livery-stable has afforded food for not a little cheap merriment among certain journalists from abroad, and frequent attempts have been made to cast ridicule upon the Court because of its trial of Mormon offenders over that "stone stable." The truth of the matter is that the Chief-Justice has been compelled to hold his Court in whatever quarters could be extemporized for that purpose, because of the refusal of the Mormon authorities to allow the Court to sit in the building erected for that purpose. An excellent Court-house was built here a number of years since, and so long as the Federal Judges wore the ermine in the interests of the Mormon Church they were allowed to sit in the Court-house. With the advent, however, of a judiciary who had attempted the enforcement of the laws the doors of the court-house were closed against them and they have been compelled to look elsewhere. New and more comfortable quarters have now been obtained in one of the business blocks of the city, where Judge MCKEAN opened his Court today for the first time. The Mormon sense of propriety will be no longer shocked by the arraignment of the leaders of the Church for high crimes and misdemeanors over a livery stable, and the convicted criminal may hereafter make his exit from public life to the Territorial Penitentiary with more comfortable surroundings. Meanwhile that "stone stable" is likely to pass into history as the scene of the death-blow to Mormon theocracy.

A mistaken impression seems to pervade many well-informed journals that the present State trials in this city have been instituted solely for the punishment of polygamy, and that the abolition of plural marriages is the sole objective point at which the judiciary are aiming. Nothing could be further from the truth, and I desire to set your readers right upon the real issue. Since the advent of the Saints into this Territory in 1847, murders of an aggravated nature have been of constant occurrence. These murders, from the best sources of information to which I have access, and which are now in the hands of the proper officials here, aggregate nearly, if not quite, two hundred. Suspicion, whether right or wrong, has long pointed to leading Mormons as being implicated in the commission of these murders. Many indictments of prominent leaders in the Church have already been found, and the Grand Jury is now in session engaged upon others. Every consideration of law and of justice requires that the persons charged with these crimes should be brought to speedy trial and convicted or acquitted, as the evidence may warrant. This is what the judiciary of Utah have attempted, and what they propose to carry through. That the institution of polygamy was first attacked was simply because it was deemed advisable to begin with lesser and ascend to greater crimes. That this has not been done sooner is due to the fact that until two years since no man's life would have been worth a moment's purchase who would dare to set the machinery of justice in motion. That it is being done now results from the presence of upright and impartial federal officials, whose sole purpose is the enforcement of law in this hitherto lawless Territory.

J. L. H.

Insurance Affairs and Mr. Miller.

WESTERN-AVENUE, ALBANY, Nov. 24, 1871.

Mr. Samuel Grierson, Editor and Proprietor Underwriters' Weekly Circular, No. 18 Wall-street, New-York City:

MY DEAR SIR: Yours of the 23d inst. just received. You ask me whether an article condemning Mr. GEORGE W. MILLER's administration of the Insurance Department, which appeared in the NEW-YORK TIMES of the 21st inst., was instigated by me, and say: "The article is apparently written in your interest, and a very general opinion prevails that you inspired the article."

In reply, I have only to say that I do not desire and am not a candidate for the office of Superintendent of the Insurance Department, and that I knew nothing of the article in question until I saw it in the TIMES. The reporter of that paper called upon me when I was last in the City, (in the course of his "interviewing" the Companies, I suppose,) but I happened to be absent, and did not meet him. During the past twelve years I have neither written or dictated any article or paper on insurance subjects without signing my own name to the same; and I had supposed that the insurance men of New-York knew me well enough by this time to know that, while not obtruding my own opinions, I am not given to shirking the responsibility of them, or putting others forward to represent them.

But while I deny any responsibility for the article in question, it is, perhaps, due to the great body of insurance men and to the general public, who are the parties most interested in this matter, for me to say that I certainly do not approve or sanction certain acts in Mr. MILLER's administration of the Insurance Department of the State of New-York.

I fully recognize the duty of the Press zealously to defend the public interests, and to hold its servants who administer official trusts to strict account. The recent course of the New-York TIMES, in reference to the Municipal government of the City of New-York, meets with my warmest commendation, and it should be especially sustained by every honest corporation in that City, as well as by every American citizen who loves Republican institutions. Indeed, I know of no such instance since GUTTENBERG first taught the use of type, where a single newspaper has waged such an effective warfare against such gigantic wrongs, and the whole Press, general and special, as well as public officials, should learn therefrom that the public conscience is not dead, and that the great body of the people are honest at least, and will unite, when necessary, for the overthrow of dishonesty and mal-administration in public affairs.

You are at liberty to publish this letter with your own, and I retain the same privilege.

I am your obedient servant,

WILLIAM BARNES.

Geographical Society.

The meeting of the Geographical Society this evening will be one of unusual interest. It will be devoted to the subject of VERREZZANO's Map of 1529. VERREZZANO is supposed to have preceded HUDSON in the discovery of the bay and harbor of New-York, and to have been the first navigator who explored the coast of what is now the United States, landing in several places between North Carolina and New-Brunswick, a full account of which voyage is contained in a letter written by him to FRANCIS I., which is now in a public library in Florence; but the genuineness of this letter has been questioned, as well as the fact of such a voyage. A map or planisphere of the world, made by VERRAZZANO's brother five years after this alleged voyage—that is, in 1529—was discovered a few years ago in the College of the Propoganda, at Rome, containing the North American coast, and indicating the discoveries of VERRAZZANO. Though the Propoganda refused an official application of both the Spanish and American Governments for a copy of this map, they subsequently yielded to the request of the American Geographical Society, and have transmitted to the Society a large photographic copy of it, in several parts admirably executed. A paper upon the map will be read by J. CARSON BREVOORT, Esq., who has subjected it to a close and critical examination, and remarks upon it will be made by several members of the Society. It is, we understand, relied upon as establishing that the disputed voyage was actually made, and that VERREZZANO is entitled to priority as a discoverer before HUDSON.

Southern Temperance Convention.

There was a convention of the advocates of total abstinence in the Southern States in Chattanooga, Tenn., last week, which was largely attended by delegates from Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama, Louisiana, Tennessee and Kentucky, representing the Sons of Temperance, Temple of Honor, the Friends of Temperance and the Good Templars. A permanent organization was effected by the election of Rev. J. A. JEFFERSON, of Virginia, as President; Dr. T. M. ANGEL, of New-Orleans, and J. J. HICKMAN, of Kentucky, as Vice-Presidents, and W. EUFFIN, of Searcy, Ga., as Secretary. The next annual session of the Supreme Council will be held July 4, 1872, on Lookout Mountain.

THE DUBLIN OF TODAY.

Those who take their notions of the Irish metropolis from Mr. CHARLES LEVER's novels would be sadly deceived if they thought to find in the Dublin of today the Dublin of *Harry Lorrequer* or *Charles O'Malley*. A more prosaic and less jovial city than the Irish metropolis of the year of grace 1871 could scarcely be found. Not a vestige of a Frank Webber is now to be traced in "Old Trinity." Somehow all the wit which in the latter end of the last century characterized the upper middle class of of Irish society seems to have disappeared, and what of that quality remains is centred in cabmen and others of their class. The Irish society of today is, speaking generally, dull; the best of it, intellectually considered, is still to be found among the members of the Bar. The lawyers, in fact, now lead society in the Irish metropolis, and the fine houses in Merrion, Mountjoy, and Rutland squares, which were formerly the homes of the Irish *noblesse*, are tenanted by lawyers or doctors. There is an amazing amount of law business transacted in Ireland, and a judicial staff infinitely larger in proportion to the work to be done than that which exists in England is provided. The judicial salaries are very handsome. The Chief-Justice receives $25,000 a year, equal to $75,000 in New-York City, and each of the Puisne Judges $17,500. There are, in fact, few pleasanter positions than that of an Irish Judge. Most of these functionaries are men of a convivial turn, and endowed with highly agreeable social qualities. They contribute in no slight degree to the society of Dublin during its season.

The Lord Lieutenant has two residences, Dublin Castle, in the heart of the city, and the Vice Regal Lodge, four miles from the Castle in Phenix Park. The Vice Regal Lodge is a very unpretending looking building externally, but comfortable and roomy and commodious within, although in these respects very inferior to the private homes of most of the Viceroys who occupy it—notably to that of Earl SPENCER, the present Lord Lieutenant, whose ancestral seat, Althorpe, in Northamptonshire, is far more magnificent than his official abode. The Phenix Park itself is perfectly charming. Immense in extent, its scenery is more varied and delightful than that of any public pleasure-ground in the world. Fifteen acres of the finest turf in existence are set apart for cavalry manœuvres, and are, when not thus occupied, available to all equestrians. There is no place more delightful for a good gallop. The forests of the park present a totally different scene—wild furze, brakes and picturesque broken ground, splendid avenues and romantic hills and dale. But from nearly every point comes in the glorious view of the two Wicklow mountains, with their curious sugar-loaf shaped summits.

Dublin has increased of late years. Many persons who formerly resided in the country have migrated to the metropolis and its ever extending suburbs. The population is now about 309,000. At the end of the last century Dublin was, in point of population, about the fifth city of the world! The rents are very low compared with New-York and London, and indeed the Irish metropolis is in almost all respects one of the cheapest places in the world. A magnificent house may be rented for $1,500 a year, far surpassing one which would cost $5,000 a year on Fifth-avenue. None of the nobility retain their houses in the city. Leinster House, which was, when it was built, about 1780, the finest private town residence in the United Kingdom, is now the office of the Royal Dublin Society. The former dining-room is the board-room, and the President's chair is that which was formerly occupied by the Speaker of the Irish House of Commons. The grand drawing-room is the library of the Society. It is open from 10 A. M. to 10 P. M. to the decent personsand more attentive attendants, and a more commodious place for reading is not to be found in the world. There is also a magnificent library in Trinity College, to which access may be obtained by any men who can give perfectly satisfactory references. The Provost is rightly enough very strict on this point.

The theatres in Dublin are miserable—inexplicably so, indeed. No one seems to be able to explain why they are so little patronized. Once or twice a year comes an opera company, and for this there is a perfect rage—the theatre is crammed, and the populace insist on taking the horses from the prima donna's carriage and drawing her in triumph to her hotel. They would have done this with TITIENS, three weeks ago, had she not discovered and avoided this boisterous ovation by slipping away through a back door. As to other amusements, there are none, except JUDES', a music hall after the model of EVANS' in London. The hotels are bad, dingy and untidy, notwithstanding that they get enormous custom. But Irish tradesmen, and notably hotel-keepers, are naturally too fine to attend to their business, and are out with the Kildare hounds when they ought to be marketing or looking after their waiters. The lodgings are generally worse than the hotels—so dirty that you instinctively wipe everything before using it.

Although the Irish nobility and gentry live far more in Ireland than formerly, they desert Dublin, and no nobleman has now a regular abode there. The big houses formerly occupied by the *noblesse* are now warehouses or offices. Powers-court House, a splendid structure, is a mercantile establishment; Chulemont House, a Government office; Movnington House, the residence of the great Duke of WELLINGTON's father, the office of the Ecclesiastical Commission. The fashionable district in Dublin is not as in New-York and London, that which abuts on the park, but that which lies near the Kingstown Railway-station, which carries you down in a very brief time to sea and the lovely coast of Wicklow. All the property in this direction belongs to the young Earl of Pembroke, son of the late Lord HERBERT, better known as Right Hon. SIDNEY HERBERT. Now brings him $350,000 a year, and is annually increasing in value. Merrion-square, the Fifth-avenue of Dublin, also belongs to him.

Dublin abounds in churches. The most notable of these are St. Patrick's Cathedral, recently splendidly restored by the munificence of the great brewer, Sir B. GUINNESS, and Christ Church, which is now in course of restoration by Mr. ROE, a wealthy distiller. Few cities in Queen VICTORIA's Dominions are on the whole better ordered and in better condition than the Irish metropolis. The Police are, without exception, the most magnificent body of men extant, and do their duty thoroughly, often under the greatest difficulties, and when exposed to the most trying provocations. In a sanitary point of view Dublin is infinitely superior to London. The sanitary arrangements are, by a special act of Parliament, under the control of the municipality, who have immense and arbitrary powers, and delegate their executive functions to the Police. The consequence is a rigorous enforcement of sanitary regulations, and in practical proof of this statement we may mention that when accompanying detective policemen through nearly every low haunt in Dublin we scarcely ever happened on an offensive smell.

During the Winter, from January to April, there is a good deal of social gaiety, to which the enormous garrison greatly contributes. At that season the Viceroy always resides at "the Castle," and receptions and dances are very frequent there. These festivities culminate in the ball in St. Patrick's Hall on St. Patrick's Day, to which any one may go who has attended His Excellency's levee or their Excellencies' drawing-room. The St. Patrick's ball is rendered exceptionally brilliant by everyone being bound to appear in uniform or court dress, and not even in London are so many splendid uniforms often seen together as at Dublin. During the last year the Irish capital has been singularly prosperous, and even the tradesmen have admitted that "we can't complain." We hope it may continue.

A Successful Rebellion on the Fourth-Avenue Railroad.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

You are aware that it is the custom to stop the down-town cars at Thirty-second-street and oblige the occupants, be they few or many, to wait for the next one, and then to be huddled into the latter, in good weather and bad, to find seats or straps—mostly straps—as best they may. Well, yesterday evening a Madison-avenue car with twenty passengers in it, among them a very wealthy and influential railway manager, was kept waiting at the point spoken of a long time, quite long enough for the passengers to agree that they would not change cars, but insist upon being carried down in the one which they so comfortably filled, and when a ferry car came along with about nine persons in it already, and the door of our car was opened with a jerk, and the voice of the Hiberman starter or snarler, or whatever else his official title may be, ordered, "Change cars," a very unanimous and decided cry went forth that we would do no such thing, and we didn't! One resolute gentleman closed the door with an emphasis, and kept it shut, and in a few moments we were allowed to proceed! Now I do not believe that Mr. W. H. VANDERBILT is a party to the impositions practised at Thirty-second-street, but that the annoyances to which all are subjected in being rudely transferred from car to car over the always wet and filthy space in front of the stables, are chargeable to unfaithful subordinates, and a little manly firmness on the part of heads of families, added to the vigorous blows of the Press, will compel these insolent fellows to respect our rights.

MADISON.

THE GRAND DUKE.

His Movements Yesterday—He thus His Photograph Taken—Grand Reception at the Navy-Yard.

At 10 o'clock yesterday morning, the Grand Duke ALEXIS, accompanied by Mr. CATACAZY, Counsellor of State MACHIN, and Mr. ALBERT BIERSTADT, entered a carriage at the Clarendon Hotel and were driven to BRADY's photograph gallery, corner of Broadway and Tenth-street. The Duke's arrival soon became known to the passers by, and in a very few minutes after he had entered the establishment a large crowd had collected on the sidewalk and around the carriages. The Duke and party were conducted to the visitors' book, in which they inscribed their names, and they were then escorted to the operating room, where the Duke's photograph was taken in four styles, from imperial to life size. The sitting occupied about half an hour. The Duke then made the round of the gallery, admiring the portraits of Mme. CATACAZY, Hon. ANSON BURLINGAME, and his own august parents, the Emperor and Empress of Russia. Descending, the distinguished party found some difficulty in making their way through the large crowd congregated on the sidewalk, but aided by two policemen they entered their carriage and returned to the Clarendon. The Duke then changed his civilian's dress for the uniform of an officer of the Russian Navy, and at noon, accompanied by his staff, drove down to Thirty-third-street, and embarked on the *Tallapoosa*, for the Navy-yard, where they arrived about 1½ o'clock. They were received by Admirals SMITH, GODON and ROWAN, several members of the Reception Committee, nearly all the naval officers in port, several gentlemen of high military rank, and a large number of civilians. The First Artillery Band, from Fort Hamilton, was stationed in the porch, the Navy-yard Band being inside. A salute of twenty-one guns was fired, and the music struck up as the Ducal party approached. Admiral SMITH conducted the Duke to the reception room, where he was introduced to the ladies and gentlemen present. The Duke then offered his arm to Miss EMILY SMITH, his host's daughter, and an advance was made to the banqueting room, where a superb collation was spread. After this had been partaken of, the band was called into requisition, and the Duke and Miss SMITH were partners in the Lancers. The dance concluded, the Duke made a tour of inspection of the Yard, evincing great interest in the workshops, the ways for dragging ships out of the water and launching them, and other mechanical contrivances. The distinguished party returned to the City about 3½ o'clock.

Today at 1 P. M. the Grand Duke will review the Fire Department at Tompkins-square. He will be accompanied by his suite, the Reception Committee, and the Fire Commissioners. In reviewing he will pass between the firemen and spectators. The south side of the square will be devoted exclusively to the use of carriages. The Prince himself will give the alarm at one of the stations.

In the evening the grand naval ball will take place at the Brooklyn Navy-yard

On Wednesday morning the breakfast at Jerome Park will take place, and in the evening the grand ball at the Academy of Music. On Thursday, (Thanksgiving Day,) the Grand Duke will dine with the Reception Committee at the Clarendon, and on the following day the West Point excursion will be made on the *Mary Powell*. On Saturday the presentation of the Farragut picture at the Academy of Design will take place, and in the evening a ball on board the *Svetlana*, given by Admiral POISSET.

Programme of the Grand Duke's Visit to Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 27.—The Committee of Arrangements for the reception of the Grand Duke, held a meeting, this morning, to complete the arrangements. The Grand Duke will leave New-York on a special train, on Sunday evening next, arriving at the Continental Hotel about 11 o'clock. Monday will be spent in a drive through the principal streets, after which a collation will be served at the Park, and a military review be held. The party will then visit the Navy-yard, and take a trip to League Island, for the purpose of inspecting the monitors. The Grand Duke will spend but twenty-four hours in this city; consequently, the grand ball is fixed for Monday night. A letter has been sent to the Russian Admiral requesting him to permit such officers of the Russian fleet as can be spared to accompany the special train on Sunday night, and become the guests of the city during the brief visit of the Grand Duke.

OBITUARY.

Prince Gaetan-Mayin-Frederick, Count of Girgenti.

A telegram from Zurich, Switzerland, announces the death of the Count of GIRGENTI. This Prince was the fifth child of FERDINAND II., King of the Two Sicilies, by his second wife, MARIA-THERESA-ISABELLA, Archduchess of Austria, daughter of the late Archduke CHARLES. He was born Jan. 12, 1846. He was married at Madrid, May 14, 1868, to the Princess MARIA-ISABELLA-FRANCES-OF-ASSISE-CHRISTINA-DE-PAULA-DOMINICA, Infanta of Spain, daughter of EX-Queen ISABELLA, and assumed the title Infant of Spain. He was decorated with the Order of the Golden Fleece, and held the honorary rank of Major in the Sixth Regiment of Austrian Lancers. The Italian and Spanish BOURBON families were united in this marriage, but as both are now in exile, in consequence of revolutions in their respective countries, the death of Prince GAETAN will not be likely to convulse the political world.

KENTUCKY'S NEGRO LAWYERS.

Something About the Two Colored Men Who Have Been Admitted to the Louisville Bar.

From the Louisville Courier-Journal, Nov. 25.

Yesterday, the innovation upon the old-time customs and prejudices of the Kentucky Bar, which was begun on Monday, in the examination of N. B. HARPER and GEO. A. GRIFFITHS, both colored, as to their fitness for the practice of law in the State Courts, was consummated by their being licensed and fully admitted to the Bar of this State. They had passed a very creditable examination, and were complimented by the judges on the manner in which they acquitted themselves, and it is predicted by their friends that they will reflect credit upon their race by the ability with which they will fulfill the duties of the profession. They have inaugurated a new dispensation, the dignity of which it is incumbent upon them to uphold, and we do not think that they will receive anything but the kindest treatment from the white members of their profession.

GEO. A. GRIFFITHS is from Daviess county, where he held the appointment of store-keeper in the revenue department, but has been on duty in Louisville for several months past. He is said to possess considerable property in Daviess, has shown some ability on the stump and is regarded as a very intelligent man. He will return to Owensboro to commence the practice of his profession, and, being well and favorably known to the citizens of that vicinity, will start on his new career under such fair auspices that the chances are all in favor of his success.

N. R. HARPER is from Detroit, Mich. It is said that in his youth he showed a fondness for books, and acquired knowledge by dint of perseverance and industry, surmounting obstacles which would have daunted many of the indolent youths of the present day. He particularly affected music, and devoted himself to its study till he became a good musician and a successful teacher. Messrs. TRIPP & LINTON have now in hand for publication an anthem composed by him. He commenced the study of law in Detroit in 1869, under the instruction of GEO. H. PENNIMAN, Esq., giving up the work in which he was then successfully engaged, viz., the organization of choirs and musical associations. He came to this city last year, and has organized several musical classes and choirs here. He did not, however, relinquish the study of the law, but pursued it with the vigor and success that marked his efforts in other directions, and the result of his labor and perseverance was witnessed yesterday in his admission to the Bar. Friends of both colors sympathized with his earnest and praiseworthy ambition, and rendered him kindly assistance. The successful attainment of his object by the honorable means he used to secure it, i. e., laboring to merit the position to which he aspired, not only is highly creditable to himself, but should serve as an example to the young men of his race, who may learn from him that reward follows labor, and respect is accorded to merit everywhere.

THE CITY OF BROOKLYN.

The Accident on the Brooklyn Bridge.

The following verdict was rendered yesterday by the Coroner's Jury in the cases of the men who met their death by the breaking of the derrick on the Brooklyn Bridge tower Oct. 23:

"That the said JOHN FRENCH, HENRY DOHERTY, and JAMES MCGONIGLE came to their death by the falling of a derrick on the tower of the Brooklyn Bridge, caused by the breaking of an eye that was imperfectly welded. We believe that the accident was unforeseen, but we also believe that had the particular eye been subjected to a test before putting up, the accident would have been avoided, and we recommend that hereafter all eyes and 'riggins' generally used on said bridge be thoroughly tested before being put to use."

The Condition of the Union Ferry Company.

The following is a schedule of the condition of the Union Ferry Company as filed in the office of the County Clerk yesterday:

ASSETS.

Boats		$724,348 10
Ferry-houses	251,600 00	
Racks, floats and bridges	41,000 00	
Piers and real estate	349,000 00	
Machinery, tools and stock in shops	15,000 00	
Lumber, paints, &c.	5,000 00	
Horses and carts	2,000 00	
Pile-drivers	2,500 00	
Office furniture	3,000 00	
Wood and coal	59,816 23	
Tax certificates	24,617 07	
Cash in bank	846 26	
Petty cash	1,000 00	$1,479,528 66

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in in cash	$1,000,000 00	
Loans	86,500 00	
Dividends due to stockholders	20,900 00	
Tickets not redeemed	30,000 00	
Claims in suit	111,000 00	
City of New-York, rent	22,181 25	
Taxes, City of Brooklyn	28,866 89	$1,298,548 14
Surplus		$180,978 52

The above return was made on the day of the annual election—NOV. 21.

The Common Council of Brooklyn.

At the meeting of the Common Council, yesterday, the annual report of the Corporation Counsel was presented. Also a resolution was adopted offering $250 for the arrest of the thieves, and $500 for the recovery of the poll-lists of the First District, Sixth Ward. JOHN L. MURPHY sent in his resignation as a Supervisor of the Fourteenth Ward, and JOHN CARROLL, the Supervisor elect, was appointed in his place.

Mr. MURPHY was seized with paralysis on Saturday, and is said to be incapacitated for any kind of business.

Suit Against Insurance Companies for the Value of an Elevator.

The following case came up before Judge GILBERT, yesterday, in the Supreme Court Kings County:

The New-York Floating Elevator Company *vs.* The Astor, the Fireman's Fund, the Hope, of Providence, the Albany City, the Hope, the Mechanics' and Traders', the Lenox, the Commonwealth, the Fireman's Fund, of San Francisco, the Relief, the Norwich, the New-Amsterdam, the Columbia, of New-York, and the Sterling, of New-York, Fire Insurance Companies. On the 22d of March, 1869, the floating elevator "Liverpool," belonging to the plaintiff, was burned in New-York harbor. This elevator was insured in the defendants' companies for various amounts, and instead of paying the amount of insurance the companies elected to rebuild it.

The plaintiffs allege that the defendants employed a man to reconstruct the elevator who was not familiar with such work; that he rebuilt it in such a way that it was of no use to them, and that after making various trials of it as reconstructed, they were compelled to take it to pieces and rebuild it themselves.

This action is brought to recover $12,585 60, the cost to the plaintiff for rebuilding, and $34,050 for the loss of the elevator for 227 days at $150 a day. The whole amount sued for is $46,635 60.

The defendants claim that they have done everything which by the contract they were called upon to do.

Case still on.

The Common Council and the Union Ferry Company.

At the meeting of the Common Council, yesterday, the matter of the quarrel between the city and the Union Ferry Company came up for discussion, and the following resolution, proposed by Alderman RICHARDSON, was adopted:

Resolved, That we propose to the Union Ferry Company to lease to the said Company the use of the property of the City of Brooklyn at and near the foot of Fulton-street, now occupied by their new ferry-houses, on the following terms: For the period of their present lease with the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund of the City of New-York, one person to be appointed by said Commissioners, one to represent the City of Brooklyn and one to represent the Union Ferry Company, who shall jointly appraise and estimate the value of the property. In case of disagreement, said appraisers to mutually agree on another person to act as umpire, the decision of any two of whom shall be final, and for the purpose of inspecting the monitors. The Grand Duke will spend but twenty-four hours in this city; consequently, the grand ball is fixed for Monday night. A letter has been sent to the Russian Admiral requesting him to permit such officers of the Russian fleet as can be spared to accompany the special train on Sunday night, and become the guests of the city during the brief visit of the Grand Duke.

The Citizens' Reform Committee.

A meeting of the Citizens' Reform Committee was held last evening at No. 185 Montague-street, Mr. FRANKLIN WOODRUFF in the chair. The Treasurer reported the following subscriptions: Demas Barnes, $100; F. A. Shroeder, $100; John Halsey, $50; Barlow Stevens, $100; John F. Henry, $100; S. L. Husted, $250; A. B. Bayls, $250. The total disbursements to date were $3,450 12. Balance to date $2,396 88. The Executive Committee reported that communications had been received from A. M. WHITE, J. B. HODGSKIN and HENRY E. PIERREPONT, accepting nominations on the Committee, and one from Mr. CHARLES A. TOWNSEND declining the same in consequence of a press of private business.

A resolution was presented and adopted, that all expenses incurred by standing committees shall be certified by the several committees and referred to the Finance Committee for audit, after which they shall be paid. Pending a proposition to elect Mr. JAMES H. FROTHINGHAM, in place of Mr. CHARLES A. TOWNSEND, as a member of the Committee, the organization went into executive session.

Suicide by Hanging.

Yesterday afternoon WILLIAM BRUNTY, aged twenty years, a clerk in the grocery-store of D. WYCKHARST, corner of Myrtle avenue and Sandford-street, committed suicide by hanging himself in the stable adjoining the store. No cause could be assigned for the rash act.

Brief Notes.

The residence of JOSEPH SEELEY, No. 484 Smith-street, was entered by sneak-thieves yesterday afternoon, who stole two over-coats valued at $80.

Yesterday, CHRISTIAN G. SHAFFER, eighteen years of age, residing at College Point, died from the effects of injuries accidentally received while working at the bottom of a newjwell, last week.

About 5½ yesterday afternoon, the house of DANIEL NORTHRUP, No. 152 South Ninth-street, was entered by sneak-thieves, who succeeded in carrying away two dress-coats and two over-coats.

The weekly report of the Health Officer shows that there were forty-six cases of small-pox last week against seventeen for the week before. Scarlet fever has decreased from thirty-nine cases to twenty-five during the week past.

It is said that the Subcommittee of the Citizens' Reform Committee on Election Frauds are willing to turn over the evidence accumulated by them to the District-Attorney and Mr. A. C. DAVIS, who have been selected as the public prosecutors. All that will stand legal scrutiny will be presented to the Grand Jury.

The Committee on Election Returns of the Board of Aldermen met yesterday afternoon, and refused to Aldermen RABER and LAWSON, of the Fifteenth Ward, the returns of the First District of that ward for correction. After the filing of a protest from JOHN P. DOUGLAS, of the Eleventh Ward, claiming to be elected Alderman of that ward, the Committee adjourned until Wednesday.

The several subcommittees of the Committee of Fifty will meet daily at No. 367 Fulton-street, where they will receive complaints of citizens who are aware of frauds upon the City Government, or of extravagance or corruption therein. Mr. JULIAN ALLEN, the Chairman of the Committee on Tax Office, will be in attendance every day at Room No. 5, No. 367 Fulton-street, from 9 A. M. to 13 M.

Cotton Crop of the World.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—The following estimate of the supply of cotton, from all parts of the world, for the year ending Sept. 30, 1872, is from the most reliable sources:

Crop of the United States, 3,225,000 bales; supply from the East Indies, 1,500,000 bales; Brazil, 550,000 bales; Egypt, 330,000 bales; from other countries, 250,000 bales. Add to the above the excess of stock in European ports, 254,000 bales; excess in United States ports, 45,000 bales; in spinners' hands, 300,000 bales; making the total supply for the year of 6,479,000 bales. Allowing that the consumption for the entire year will be at the rate of 125,000 bales per week, which rate can only be reduced by extremely low prices, there would be on hand at the end of the year, 299,000 bales.

POLITICAL AND PERSONAL.

Hon. WM. MCMASTER, of Toronto, is at the St. James Hotel.

Prince GEO. NICHOLAS GALITZIN is at the Metropolitan Hotel.

Sir A. T. GALT and family, of Montreal, are at the Fifth-avenue Hotel.

Count M. DEDUSZYKY and Hon. H. R. HULBURD, of Washington, are at the Metropolitan Hotel.

ALEXANDER H. STEPHENS argued a case in a Georgia Court week before last. He shows wonderful vitality.

Dr. N. F. MAGRUDER, of the United States Army, and Dr. C. OSGOOD, of Norwich, are at the Astor House.

Lieut. C. M. THOMAS, of the United States Navy, and Gen. COOPER, of Albany, are at the Fifth-avenue Hotel.

Judge DOOLITTLE, of Wisconsin, will now devote himself to his law business in that State and Illinois and the United States Supreme Court.

The Charleston *News* refuses to indorse the Charleston *Courier's* hot haste to pronounce in favor of repudiation of the debt of South Carolina.

In a letter to the Albany *Evening Journal*, Mr. TILDEN again corrects the statement that he sent out the famous circular of 1868 designed to facilitate fraud in this City.

The Massachusetts Temperance Alliance is to hold a series of Conventions in different parts of the State. Other temperance Conventions are to be held by the union of the other State organizations.

The Republican majority in Wisconsin is 9,382, nearly 1,000 more than last year. The total vote of the State is nearly 17,000 greater than it was two years ago, and the largest ever cast in the State, excepting the Presidential vote in 1868.

The Columbia (S. C.) *Phœnix* advises that public meetings be held in that city and Charleston, to raise a committee, who shall be charged with the prosecution of officials connected with frauds and misapplication of the public funds in that State. It does not propose a subscription for *their* defense, as in the case of the Kuklux.

Hon. H. G. KNIGHT, of East Hampton, is a prominent candidate for Congress in the Ninth District of Massachusetts, to fill the vacancy caused by the election of WILLIAM B. WASHBURN as Governor. The Northampton *Gazette* says that no man in the district can poll a larger vote than Mr. KNIGHT, and that he would make an excellent Congressman.

The Fisk-Stokes Case—Card from Mr. Stokes.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

The lying affidavit of RICHARD E. KING, the negro hireling of JAMES FISK, Jr., who is now a fugitive from justice, submitted in the criminal suit of MANSFIELD *vs.* FISK, Jr., and in which my name was devilishly and maliciously introduced, was designed solely to intimidate and deter me from the further prosecution of my suits against FISK.

It is wholly a wicked, false, blackmailing affidavit—a favorite resort of JAMES FISK, Jr.—and precisely the same as was at first practiced upon unfortunate DORMAN B. EATON,

Real Estate Transactions.

Business for the week, as expected, opens dull, no sales being made at the Exchange yesterday, Nov. 27, and nothing of special interest occurring in the market. At private sale, the following recent transactions are reported, effected by the brokers named. By HATCH & VAN DOREN, No. 610 Sixth-avenue, between Thirty-fifth and Thirty-sixth streets; sale of two four-story brown-stone houses and lots, each 25 by 75 by 100.5, on Forty-eighth-street, 175 feet east of Fifth-avenue, one for $85,500, and the other for $84,500. By WM. TUCKER, No. 220 Fifth-avenue, between Twenty-sixth and Twenty-seventh streets. Sale of house and lot, latter 25 by 100, No. 485 Second-avenue, to Mr. JOHN GEARY for $14,000.

CITY REAL ESTATE.

LOTS FOR SALE BY E. H. LUDLOW & CO.:
2d-av., n. e. corner 103d-st., 10 lots.
5th-av., 1 lot, west side, near 114th-st.
8th-av. and 105th-st., 4 lots.
8th-av., near 83d-st., lots.
8th-av., 141st. and 142d-st., 14 lots.
7th-av. and 140th-st., 24 lots.
7th-av. and 126th-st., 5 lots.
10th-av. and 118th-st., 20 lots.
10th-av. and 108th-st., 4 lots.
Boulevard, near 88th-st., 27 lots.
Madison-av., 2 lots below 42d-st.
71st-st., 2 lots, north side, west of 8th-av.
92d-st., south side, east of 5th-av.
9th-st., 1 lot, south side, 175 ft. e. of 9th-av.
Plot of 20 lots near 10th-av. and 103d-st.
Plot of gores on 119th-st., near 1st-av.
120th-st., 2 lots, south side, near 8th-av.
87th-st., south side, near 6th-av., 2 lots.
57th-st., north side, near 5th-av., 2 lots.
113th-st., south side, near 3d-av., 2 lots.
70th-st., south side, near 8th-av., 1 lot.
52d-st., north side, west of Madison-av., 1 lot.
6th-av., corner near 134th-st., 7 lots.
7th-av., corner near 135th-st., 5 lots.
Particulars at office, No. 3 Pine-st.

FOR SALE—A FOUR-STORY BROWN-stone store and dwelling on west side of 8th-av., between 52d and 53d sts.; terms easy. Apply to J. ROMAINE BROWN, No. 1,280 Broadway.

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NEW HOUSE AND LOT TO EXCHANGE, in Brooklyn, for dry goods, jewelry, hardware, drugs, or Yankee notions, very cheap; must be sold, as the owner is moving away. Address MOVING, Brooklyn Post-office.

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A BARGAIN.—BEAUTIFUL SUBURBAN house and grounds, within forty-five minutes of New-York business offices, and accessible by over fifty trains daily; situated near depots in the best portion of Elizabeth; high ground; extra large lot, fruit and shade trees, lawn, garden, &c. House is comfortable, roomy and tasteful; modern design and fittings; situated on the path of extensive improvements, with a steady rise in value. All City conveniences, combined with country air, food and living; good markets, schools, and unsurpassed travel. Payments in good shape.
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Fronting on Front, Sacramento and Commercial sts., all occupied and yielding full rent, to wit:
Lot on the south-west corner of Front and Commercial sts., with first-class two-story building.
Lot on the north side of Sacramento-st., a few doors above Montgomery, with three-story building, and adjoining lot on the south side of Commercial-st., at the same distance from Montgomery-st., with two-story building.
Terms cash, or partly cash.
For further particulars apply to
BELLOC FRERES,
No. 324 Montgomery-st.

ADJOINING CITY LINE OF RAHWAY. Executor's sale—New house, barn, and farm of seventeen acres, high, splendid land, formerly belonging to Smith Woodruff, deceased, will be sold at auction Feb. 16, 1872, if not previously disposed of at private sale; great bargain; will cut up well; terms very easy; large amount on mortgage. Apply to JOHNSON & MILLER, 25 Nassau-st., New-York.

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ORANGE, N. J.—COUNTRY HOUSES, lands and village lots for sale; a great variety. Also, furnished and unfurnished houses to let for season or year, by BLACKWELL & SMITH, 243 Broadway, 9 to 11; or Orange, corner Main and Cone sts.

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RIVERDALE, ON THE HUDSON.
TO LET.
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A HANDSOME THREE-STORY HIGH-stoop house, fully furnished; location and surroundings first-class; West 34th-st.; rent $200 per month. Apply to COLE & MUDGETT, 32d-st. and 6th-av.

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A MODERATE-SIZE CORNER HOUSE on Madison-av., handsomely furnished, to let to a first-class tenant for the Winter, with immediate possession. Apply to M. A. J. LYNCH & HUGH N. CAMP, No. 106 Broadway.

TO LET—THE SUPERIOR FOUR-STORY basement brick house, No. 86 Amity-st., with modern improvements, brick stable in the rear. Apply to JOHN CULYER, No. 231 Thompson-st.

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STORE TO RENT, CHEAP, FOR HOLIDAY sales, during December and January—the elegant store, corner of Broadway and 31st-st., under the Grand Hotel.

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FINE LOFTS, 50X100, WITH STEAM-power, to let, together or separate; good light. Apply at Nos. 35 and 37 Wooster-st.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

WOOLEN-MILL FOR SALE.
The undersigned, assignee in bankruptcy of LOUIS M. OBERDORFER, will sell at auction on THURSDAY, Nov. 23, 1871, at 10 o'clock, at Canterbury, Conn., upon the premises, the remaining property of said bankrupt, to wit:
A two-set fancy cassimere mill, complete, with stone dam and good water privilege, stone picker-house, suitable buildings and tenements, and about sixty acres of land, and two complete sets of fancy cassimere machinery for the manufacture of all kinds of fancy cassimeres; also, mansion-house, barn, &c., and about six acres of land.
The above will be sold subject to certain mortgages, a part of which can probably lie for a long while.
Also, certain personal property and stock, &c., worth the attention of store-keepers, farmers, and others.
The above will be sold, without reserve, to the highest bidder. Further particulars may be had of SOLOMON LUCAS or HIRAM CROSBY, Norwich, Conn., or of the undersigned,
JOHN W. MASON, Assignee,
No. 50 Park-place, New-York.
Preceding sale is adjourned to FRIDAY, Dec. 1, at same hour and place.
JOHN W. MASON, Assignee,
No. 50 Park-place, New-York.

JAMES M. MILLER, Auctioneer.
BY JAMES M. MILLER, AT THE EXchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, at 12 o'clock, on TUESDAY, Nov. 28, 1871, south-east corner between each and Dey sts., with two-story and basement brown-stone building, covering the entire lot, 43¾ feet in front, 40.5⅛ feet rear, 77.9⅜ feet on Dey-st., 82.4 feet on the other side. For particulars apply at the office of the auctioneer, No. 28 Pine-st.

J. MATTHEWSON & SON, Auctioneers.
AT AUCTION—BY ORDER OF SUPREME Court, on FRIDAY, Dec. 1, at 12 o'clock, at salesroom No. 111 Broadway, J. MATTHEWSON & SON, Auctioneers, the three first class four-story brown-stone houses and lots, west side of Madison-av., between 43d and 44th sts., lots 25x95.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.
AUCTION SALE OF STOCKS AND BONDS BY ORDER OF TRUSTEES.
ADRIAN H. MULLER, P. R. WILKINS & CO. will sell at auction on WEDNESDAY, Nov. 29, 1871, at 12½ o'clock, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway,
BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES UNDER THE WILL OF THE LATE DANIEL B. FEARING:
134 shares Mechanics' National Bank, $25 each.
300 shares National Bank of Commerce, $100 each.
78 shares Metropolitan National Bank, $100 each.
600 shares Broadway National Bank, $25 each.
108 shares American Exchange National Bank, $100 each.
50 shares Leather Manufacturers' National Bank, $100 each.
134 shares Merchants' National Bank, $50 each.
200 shares Union National Bank, $50 each.
416 shares Manhattan Gas-light Company, $50 each.
250 shares Pennsylvania Coal Company, $50 each.
$15,400 Manhattan Gas-light Company seven per cent certificates.
100 shares Fireman's Insurance Company, $17 each.
$30,000 Chicago South Park seven per cent. bonds, 1879.
$12,000 St. Louis, Alton and Terre Haute Railroad Company first mortgage sinking fund seven per cent. bonds, 1894, $1,000 each.
$30,000 St. Louis, Alton and Terre Haute Railroad Company second mortgage preferred seven per cent. bonds, 1894, $1,000 each.
$25,000 Chicago and North-western Railroad Company consolidated sinking fund seven per cent. bonds, 1915, $1,000 each.
$16,000 North Missouri Railroad Company first mortgage (West Branch) seven per cent. bonds, 1895, $1,000 each.

FIFTY-FIFTH-STREET.—SUPREME Court, City and County of New-York.—THE BOWLING-GREEN SAVINGS BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK against LOUIS L. TODD and MARY ELIZABETH, his wife, and others.—In pursuance of a judgment of the Supreme Court of the State of New-York, made in the above entitled action, I, Jacob H. Coleman, the referee in said judgment named, will expose to sale at public auction at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on Friday, the 1st day of December, 1871, at 12 o'clock, noon, by Joseph McGuire, auctioneer, the following described premises, viz.: All those three certain lots of land situated in the Twenty-second Ward of the City of New-York, and bounded and described as follows: Commencing at a point on the southerly side of Fifty-fifth-street, distant 325 feet westerly from the south-westerly corner of Tenth-avenue and Fifty-fifth-street, running thence westerly along the southerly side of Fifty-fifth-street seventy-five feet, thence southerly and parallel with Tenth-avenue one hundred feet five inches to the centre line of the block between Fifty-fourth and Fifty-fifth streets, thence easterly along the said centre line of the block seventy-five feet, thence northerly and parallel with Tenth-avenue one hundred feet five inches to the point or place of beginning, be the said several dimensions more or less. Dated the City of New-York, Nov. 9, 1871. JAMES H. COLEMAN, Referee.
CULLEN & MCGOWAN, attorneys for plaintiffs.

JOSEPH MCGUIRE, Auctioneer.
WILL SELL AT AUCTION ON WEDNESDAY, Nov. 29, 1871, at 12 o'clock, noon, at the Exchange Sales-room, No. 111 Broadway, by order of the Supreme Court, under direction of John G. Bushnell, Esq., referee, the three-story and cellar brick house and lot known as No. 245 (old No. 235) Elizabeth-st., near Houston-st.; size of lot, 20x92.6.
Maps at the auctioneer's office, No. 87 Cedar-st.

INSTRUCTION.

ANTHON Grammar School,
NO. 229 MADISON-AV.,
BETWEEN 38TH AND 39TH STS.
The departments of Ancient and Modern Languages will reopen MONDAY, Sept. 11, and the Primary Department MONDAY, Sept. 18. School hours from 9½ A. M. to 2¾ P. M.

Mount Washington Collegiate Institute,
NO. 40 WASHINGTON-SQUARE (SOUTH.)
DR. GEO. W. CLARKE, PRINCIPAL.
Prepares pupils of all ages for business or college.

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No. 620 Fifth-av.
Boarding and Day School for young ladies and children. Fourteenth year commences Sept. 20.
Rev. Dr. and Mrs. C. H. GARDNER, Principals.

JACKSON MILITARY INSTITUTE,
Tarrytown, N. Y. Established 1867.
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MRS. C. B. CURTIS' DAY-SCHOOL for young ladies and children will open WEDNESDAY, Sept. 20. Rooms at Emmanuel Church, 57th-st., near Lexington-av. After Sept. 10 applications for admission may be made at the Vestry-room, from 10 to 12 A. M., or address by letter at No. 129 East 23d-st.

MRS. J. T. BENEDICT'S BOARDING and Day School for young ladies and children will reopen at No. 7 East 42d-st., New-York, near the new Public Library, Oct. 2. Superior advantages in German, French, drawing, &c. Musical department under the care of Profs. F. L. Ritter and S. B. Mills.

YOUNG LADY, EXPERIENCED teacher of piano-forte, will take a few pupils at her own or pupil's residence; highest reference; terms moderate; thorough tuition guaranteed. Apply at No. 112 East 52d-st., between 4th and Lexington avs., White Cottage.

A GRADUATE OF PRINCETON College wishes three or four pupils to fit for college, or to instruct in the higher branches. For terms, &c., address R. C. H., care Barlow, Hyatt & Olney, No. 21 Park-row.

ROCKLAND FEMALE INSTITUTE, NYACK, ON THE HUDSON, N. Y.—The Fall term will commence Sept. 20. For circulars with full particulars, address Rev. L. DELOS MANSFIELD, Principal.

UNIVERSITY GRAMMAR SCHOOL, 1 Throp-place; testimonials from the Faculties of New-York University and Yale College. M. M. HOBBY, G. CHASE.

ALONZO FLACK, A. M., PRESIDENT of Claverack College and Hudson River Institute, at Claverack, N. Y. For both sexes. Term opens Dec. 8. $300 whole expense per year.

SELECT SCHOOL FOR YOUNG CHILdren; number limited to twenty. The Winter term opens Nov. 20. For particulars apply to Mrs. EASTMAN, No. 249 Cumberland-st., Brooklyn.

DR. BERTHET'S FRENCH, ENGLISH, Classical and Mathematical School opens Sept. 18, at No. 104 East 40th-st. Prospectus at LOCKWOOD'S, No. 812 Broadway.

PROF. J. W. SCHERMERHORN, A. M., will open his English, Classical, Mathematical, French and German School for boys Sept. 18, No. 859 6th-av. Circulars and conference at rooms.

$325 PER YEAR, AT THE STAMFORD (Conn.) Collegiate Institute for ladies. Pupils received at any time. R. C. FLACK, A. M.

FEMALE INSTITUTE—WHITE PLAINS, N. Y.; second term opens Nov. 20. Address Mrs. R. B. SEARLES, Principal

A FEW YOUNG LADIES AS BOARDING Appupils are received by the Misses BUCKNALL at their suburban residence, New-Brunswick, N. J.

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WM. H. LEGGETT'S SCHOOL, NO. 1,214 Broadway, one door below 30th-st.

"THE BEST SCHOOL FOR EARNEST BOYS—Riverview Academy, Po'keepsie, N.Y."

LEGAL NOTICES.

TO JOHN WILSON, ROBERT STEEL, and EDWARD CLAYPOOL, their wives and families, (if any such there be,) and the representatives of the said WILSON, STEEL and CLAYPOOL, and their wives and families (if any:)
Take notice, that the late Dr. WILLIAM HENDERSON, of Londonderry, Ireland, by his will dated the 31st December, 1832, bequeathed to his nephew, John Wilson, of Brooklyn, near New-York, painter and glazier, the sum of £150, if living, at his (testator's) death; and in case of his death, leaving a wife and family, testator directed that said sum should be invested for the use of such wife for her life, and after her death to be divided among said John Wilson's children. But in case his said nephew should die unmarried and without issue, testator directed that £150 of said bequest should be given to said Dr. Edward Claypool, if alive, and in case of his death, that sum should be divided between his wife and children.
The said Dr. Henderson died in the month of March, 1846, and said legacies of £150 and £300 were shortly afterward lodged by his executors in the Court of Chancery, in Ireland, and invested in Government stock, and same now remains in said Court, and amount to the sum of £919 19s. 4d. Government stock, and £27 2s. 10d. cash, or thereabouts.
Now, said legatees, (if living, and, if dead,) their wives and families, (if any,) or their legal personal representatives, and all persons having any claim in respect of said legacies are required to furnish to Mr. Townley William Hardman, No. 2 Foster-place, Dublin, Ireland, solicitor, the particulars of such, their claim, on or before the 20th of January, 1872, with their names, address, and description, together with documentary evidence of their title.
And, in case of no such claim being made within the time aforesaid, application will, after said date, be made to the Court of Chancery, in Ireland, to order that said stock and cash may be transferred to Mrs. Mary Anne Jane Bellamy Henderson, widow and personal representative of John Bell any Henderson, deceased, who was sole residuary legatee of said Dr. William Henderson.
Dated this 20th day of June, 1871.
TOWNLEY WILLIAM HARDMAN,
Solicitor for the said Mrs. Henderson.
No. 2 Foster-place, Dublin, Ireland.

ARCHIBALD JOHNSTON, Auctioneer, No. 37 Nassau-st.
THE EFFECTS OF THOMAS H. HOTCHKISS, an American artist, who died at Rome, consisting of paintings, sketches, &c., will be sold at public auction on SATURDAY, Dec. 9, 1871.
By order of
A. J. ROGERS,
Public Administrator.

NOTICE.
This is to certify that I, REBECCA C. PARDEE this day and date revoke all powers of attorney given by me to WARD C. PARDEE. Said powers of attorney are dated respectively May 4, 1869 and June 8, 1870.
REBECCA C. PARDEE.

CLOTHING.

CLOTHING.—AT NO. 81 6TH-AV.. CASTOff clothing can be disposed of at the highest price. For dresses, $3 to $50; coats, $2 to $20; pants, $1 to $4; carpets, furniture, jewelry, &c., bought. Call or address Mr. or Mrs. HARRIS, No. 81 6th-av

SITUATIONS WANTED.

FEMALES.

WANTED—BY A GOOD SEAMSTRESS A situation in a private family; willing to assist in chamber-work; has a knowledge of hair-dressing; can operate on Wheeler & Wilson's sewing-machine; no objections to wait on a lady; City reference given. Can be seen at No. 108 East 27th-st., near 4th av.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTable woman as infant's nurse; competent to take the entire charge from its birth; is a good plain sewer; has no objection to the country; has the best City reference. Call at No. 226 Mulberry-st., between Prince and Spring.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE PROTestant woman a few ladies and gentlemen's washing to her house, or to go out two days in the week; all kinds of French fluting and fine work; the best of City reference. Call or address Mrs. O'CONNOR, No. 429 East 14th-st., third floor.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE AMERIcan woman, a situation as nurse and do chamber-work; can take entire care of an infant, or would take care of an invalid lady; has good City reference from last place. Call for two days at No. 33 President-st., first floor, Brooklyn.

WANTED—BY TWO RESPECTABLE GIRLS, situations; one as first-class cook; understands French and English cooking; the other as first-class waitress; understands waiting thoroughly; both have unexceptionable references. Call at No. 210 West 26th-st., New-York.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTable woman as cook or assist in washing and ironing; a good baker, and understands the care of milk and butter; no objection to the country; good references. Can be seen at No. 138 6th-av., over drug-store.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG GIRL, A SITUAtion as a thorough waitress, or to assist with chamber-work, in a small private family; is willing and obliging; two years' City reference. Call at No. 127 West 19th-st., rear house.

WANTED—BY A PROTESTANT WOMAN, a situation as seamstress and to assist in chamber-work, or would wait upon an elderly lady or grown-up children; good City reference. Can be seen at No. 102 West 24th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A PROTESTant German girl as first-class laundress; understands French fluting, &c.; has good City reference; no objection to the country. Can be seen at No. 116 East 11th-st., between 3d and 4th avs.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A PROTESTant woman as nurse; can take entire charge of a baby from birth, and bring it up on the bottle; an infant preferred; best City reference. Apply at No. 715 6th-av., near 41st-st., in the millinery-store.

WANTED—BY TWO RESPECTABLE girls, situations in a private family; one to do cooking, washing and ironing, and the other as chamber-maid and waitress; both would like to be in the same house. Call for two days at No. 328 East 29th-st.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG FRENCH WOMan, just from Paris, a situation as lady's maid in a good family; she is competent to make dresses, bonnets, coiffures, dress hair, and make up fine linen. Inquire at No. 123 West 24th st.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS COOK BY A respectable Protestant young woman, just arrived from England, in a good family. Can be seen for two days at No. 207 East 20th-st., between 2d and 3d avs.

WANTED—BY A WIDOW LADY OF REfinement and experience, who has lost her all in the Chicago fire, a position as house-keeper in a gentleman's family; unexceptionable references given. Address M., Box No. 115 *Times* Office.

WANTED—BY AN ENGLISH PROTESTANT girl, a situation as first-class waitress; thoroughly understands the care of silver; fully competent to take charge of a dining-room; unexceptionable City references. Call at No. 159 West 27th-st.

WANTED—BY A GERMAN PROTESTANT girl, a situation as cook and to assist with the washing in a private family; would do general house-work in a family of two or three persons; best of City references. Call for two days at No. 391 8th-av.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG GIRL, A SITUAtion as chamber maid and waitress in a private family; has no objection to assist in the washing and ironing; good references can be had. Call at No. 33 West 43d-st.

WANTED—BY A COMPETENT PROTESTant woman, to go out by the day washing and ironing, or would take a situation as first-class laundress in a private family. Call or address No. 6 Pacific-place, West 29th-st., between 6th and 7th avs.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTable young woman as first-rate cook; would have no objections to do the coarse wash ng; will be found trustworthy; good City reference can be given. Call at No. 212 West 19th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FIRSTclass laundress; understands her business thoroughly; will do the coarse washing; no objection to the country; excellent references. Call or address No. 241 West 27th-st., between 7th and 8th avs.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A COMPEtent young woman as laundress, or to assist in the chamber-work. Can be seen at her employer's, No. 330 Madison-av.

WANTED—A COOK'S SITUATION; WILL assist in the washing; country or City; very respectable and very good cook; best testimonials. Apply at No. 335 4th-av.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS LADY'S maid and seamstress; understands hair-dressing. Call at present employer's, with whom she has been for last two years, No. 121 East 23d-st.

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Supply employers in the City or country with reliable
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WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FIRSTclass colored cook in a private family or first-class boarding-house. Apply for three days at No. 141 West 30th-st.

WANTED—BY AN ENGLISH WOMAN, A situation to wait upon an elderly lady and do plain sewing, or to take charge of one or two children. Call or address No. 144 East 15th-st., near Irving-place.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FIRSTclass cook; understands her business thoroughly; best City reference. Apply at present employer's, No. 110 East 45th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FIRSTclass cook; understands all kinds of cooking, baking and desserts; good reference. Apply at No. 13 Union-court, University-place.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY AN EFFIcient young woman as seamstress and dressmaker; would wait on a lady if required; excellent City references. Call or address No. 208 West 32d-st.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE GIRL, A situation as chamber-maid; is willing to assist with waiting; seven years' reference. Can be seen for two days at No. 120 West 20th-st., near 6th-av.

WANTED—BY A COMPETENT WOMAN, A situation as cook in a small private family; City reference if required, and has no objection to assist in the washing. Apply at No. 422 East 19th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY AN ENGLISH Protestant woman as first-class cook; best City reference; can be seen till engaged. Apply at No. 229 East 11th-st., between 1st and 2d avs.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS CHAMBERmaid and waitress; no objection to go a short distance in the country; best City reference. Call at No. 405 East 14th-st.

A COMPETENT LAUNDRESS SOLICits washing to do at home; would go out by the day. Apply at No. 324 East 32d-st., between 1st and 2d avs.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FRENCH lady's maid just arrived from Paris; speaks English, and is an expert dress-maker. Address Box No. 24 Up-town Advertisement Office, No. 54½ West 32d-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FRENCH nurse, just arrived from Paris, to take care of children and do sewing. Address Box No. 22 Up-town Advertisement Office, No. 54½ West 32d-st.

ATTENTION, LADIES.
First-class German, French, English, Irish and American help can be found at WARNER'S Employment Office, No. 138 6th-av., over drug-store.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE PROTestant a situation as child's nurse, or to take care of an invalid lady; City reference. Call for two days at No. 1,325 Broadway, near 30th-st.

WANTED—BY A COMPETENT GIRL A situation to do general house-work in a small family; no objection to a short distance in the country; excellent reference. Call at No. 201 East 37th-st.

WANTED—BY A PROTESTANT ENGLISH woman, a situation as first-class cook; understands her business in all its branches; good references given. Call at No. 157 East 28th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTable woman as cook in a private family; has good City references; is a good baker. Call at No. 606 6th-av., near 34th-st., for two days.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS CHAMBERmaid and good plain seamstress; has three years very best reference from her present employer. Can be seen at No. 20 East 41st-st.

WANTED—A NURSE'S SITUATION; CAN take charge of a baby from birth; has the best City reference from her last place; can do plain sewing. Call at No. 246 35th-st., near 6th-av.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG GERMAN PERson, who speaks English and French, a situation in a first-class private family to take care of children; good reference. Address S. S., No. 225 4th-av.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A COMPEtent woman as head meat and pastry cook; understands cooking in all its branches; best City reference. Call at No. 203 West 27th-st., near 7th-av.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A NEAT young woman as chamber-maid and waitress, or to do chamber-work and assist in the washing; City reference. Call at No 209 West 27th-st., near 7th-av.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS LAUNDRESS by a woman who has had experience; best City references. Call at No. 218 West 29th-st., near 8th-av.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS GOOD COOK and to assist with washing and ironing; excellent reference. Apply at No. 176 7th-av.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG SCANDINAVIAN girl, speaking English, a position as seamstress or nurse. Apply at her late employer's, 25 West 38th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FIRSTclass laundress; has good City reference. Call at No. 202 West 27th-st., in the grocery-store.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FIRSTclass laundress; best City references. Apply for two days at No. 215 West 35th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FIRSTclass waitress in a private family; excellent City references. Call for two days at No. 124 West 19th-st.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

FEMALES.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FIRSTclass cook, who understands cooking in all its branches; fully capable of taking entire charge of a kitchen; three years' City reference from last place. Call at No. 426 4th-av., between 29th and 30th sts., in the shoe-store.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS LAUNDRESS, or chamber-maid and laundress, or fine washer, by a very respectable woman and excellent laundress; does French fluting and all kinds of fine work in the best manner; country or City; good testimonials. Call at No. 326 41th-av.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTable girl as cook and to assist in washing and ironing; best City references from last employer. Call for two days at No. 147 East 32d-st., between 3d and Lexington avs.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A NEAT young woman as nurse and seamstress; can do all kinds of family sewing; or as chamber-maid and waitress; City reference. Call at No. 203 West 27th-st., near 7th-av.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FIRSTclass cook in a private family; understands all kinds of cooking; an excellent baker; best City reference. Call or address No. 202 7th-av., between 26th and 27th sts., in the store.

WANTED—BY A FIRST-CLASS COOK. A situation in a private family; understands all kinds of family cooking; has the best of City reference. Can be seen at her present employer's for two days, No. 12 West 48th-st.

WANTED—A COOK'S SITUATION BY A Protestant woman; a very respectable and very good cook; understands meats, game, soups of all kinds, pastry, creams, jellies; excellent baker, &c.; good City testimonials. Call at No. 335 4th-av.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG GIRL, A SITUAtion as nurse and seamstress; thoroughly understands the care of children. Has three years of the best recommendations from where she can be seen, No. 20 East 41st-st., for two days.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A YOUNG woman as competent seamstress; operates on Wheeler & Wilson's and Willcox & Gibbs' machines; no objection to attend to growing children; best City references. Call or address No. 952 1st-av., fancy-store.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE ELDERly woman, a situation as cook; understands her business in all its branches; is kind in sickness, and willing to oblige; has excellent reference. Call or address No. 462 7th-av., corner 35th-st.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE PROTestant woman, a situation as plain cook, washer and ironer. Can be seen for two days at No. 256 West 31st-st., in store.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A GERMAN girl as lady's maid and seamstress; excellent City references; speaks English perfectly. Apply at No. 217 East 29th-st., Room No. 20.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE GIRL, A situation as good cook, washer and ironer; good references. Apply at No. 139 West 28th-st., between 6th and 7th avs.

WANTED—BY A COLORED WOMAN, A cook's situation; she is an excellent cook; both fancy and plain cooking and baking; country or City; good testimonials; terms moderate. Call at 335 4th-av.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG GIRL, A SITUAtion as nurse and good plain sewer; is very fond of children, and has good City reference. Can be seen at No. 320 East 39th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS FIRST-CLASS waitress; has the best of City reference. Can be seen for two days at No. 210 West 33d-st.

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WANTED—BY AN EXPERIENCED LAUNdress, washing to do at her house, or would go out by the day. Apply at No. 425 East 15th-st., Room 16.

WANTED—BY TWO GIRLS, SITUATIONS in the same house, one as cook and the other as chamber-maid and waitress; can be highly recommended from their last place, as they left in consequence of the family going to travel; can be seen for two days; no objection to go a short distance in the country. Address K. C., No. 441 East 12th-st., between 1st-av. and Avenue A.

WANTED—BY AN ENGLISH PROTESTant woman, a situation as seamstress in a private family; expert at all kinds of family sewing; an excellent operator on Wheeler & Wilson's and Willcox & Gibbs' machines; best City references. Call or address SEAMSTRESS, No. 194 Lexington-av.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE SCOTCH woman, a situation as first-class cook; is a good baker, and understands her business in all its branches; has best City reference from her last employer. Can be seen for two days at No. 149 East 35th-st., between Lexington and 3d avs., rear house.

WANTED—BY TWO RESPECTABLE young girls, situations; one as first-class seamstress; can do all kinds of sewing; can operate on the machine; the other would do chamber-work or waiting, or would do light work in a small family; have good City reference. Can be seen at 142 West 19th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A CAPABLE laundress; understands French fluting, plaiting, puffing, all kinds of finery and gentlemen's linen; thoroughly understands her business; best of City reference from her last place. Call at No. 206 East 26th-st., in the candy-store.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE WOMAN, a situation as chamber-maid and waitress in a private family; best of reference; no objection to go to the country. Can be seen for two days at No. 27 Hubert-st.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE GIRL, A situation as cook in a private family; understands meats, soups and game; an excellent baker; will assist with washing; good City reference. Apply at No. 60 East 41st-st., between 4th and Madison avs.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A COMPEtent Protestant nurse, with two and a half years' reference from last employer (who may be seen); can take full charge of an infant or growing children. Apply at 109 West 34th-st., near Broadway.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS INFANT'S nurse, by a thoroughly competent person; can take charge of a baby from birth; is an excellent seamstress, neat and quick; best of City references. Call or address No. 217 West 16th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A COMPEtent German girl for general house-work or as cook, washer and ironer; is willing and obliging; best of City references. Call at No. 303 Bowery; entrance on 1st-st.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE PROTESTant girl, a situation as nurse; thoroughly understands the care of children; no objection to a short distance in the country; good references; well recommended from her last place. Call at 146 East 22d-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTable Protestant young woman as chamber-maid and laundress; is an excellent laundress; good reference. Can be seen for two days at No. 224 West 19th-st., second floor.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS FIRST-RATE plain cook, and will do some washing and ironing, if required, in a private family, and is a good baker; can give the best of City reference. Call at No. 111 West 15th-st., between 6th and 7th avs.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS GOOD PLAIN cook; will assist with washing; excellent City reference. Apply at No. 176 7th-av., between 20th and 21st sts.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS WAITRESS, or to do chamber-work and sewing; best of City reference from her last place, where she lived for four years. Can be seen for two days at 209 East 20th-st.

WANTED—BY AN EXPERIENCED LAUNdress, washing at her house; would go out by the day; excellent reference. Apply at No. 444 West 31st-st., third floor.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A GOOD cook; an excellent baker; will assist with washing and ironing. Apply at present employer's, No. 56 Park-av.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE ENGlish Protestant woman, a situation as first-class cook; good City reference. Can be seen at No 241 West 22d-st., for two days.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG GIRL, A SITUAtion as chamber-maid and waitress; best City references. Can be seen for two days at No. 217 West 35th-st., first floor, front room.

WANTED—BY A TRUSTWORTHY, COMpetent young woman, a situation as waitress; best City reference from last employer. Call at No. 446 4th-av., one door from corner 30th-st.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A RESPECTable woman in a private family as cook; is a good baker; no objection to go in the country; best of reference. Call for two days at No. 27 Hubert-st.

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FOR LONDON DIRECT.
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Passage to Liverpool, Queenstown, or London direct: Cabin, $75 and $65, currency; steerage, $28 currency.
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Royal Mail Steamers are appointed to sail as follows:
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CITY OF ANTWERP.....Saturday, Dec. 9, 2 P. M.
CITY OF BRISTOL.....Saturday, Dec. 16, 9 A. M.
CITY OF PARIS.....Saturday, Dec. 16, 10 A. M.
CITY OF WASHINGTON.Thursday, Dec. 21, 2 P. M.
and each succeeding SATURDAY and THURSDAY, from Pier No. 45 North River.
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First cabin.....$75 | Steerage.....$30
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COLORADO, Capt. T. F. FREEMAN..Dec. 6, at 1 P. M.
WISCONSIN, Capt. T. W. FREEMAN..Dec. 13 at 7½ A.M.
NEVADA, Capt. FORSYTH.....Dec. 20, at 1 P. M.
WYOMING, Capt. WHINERAY.....Dec. 27, at 2½ P.M.
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Steamer JAPAN will leave San Francisco, Dec. 4, for Japan and China. For rates of passage, freight and all further information, apply at Company's office on the pier, foot of Canal-st.
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MAGNOLIA, Capt. PALMER, SATURDAY, Dec. 2, from Pier No. 3 North River, at 3 P. M.
WM. R. GARRISON, Agent, No. 5 Bowling-green.

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STERLING FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
NO. 155 BROADWAY,
NEW-YORK, Nov. 8, 1871.
At the election of Directors, held on the 6th inst., the following gentlemen were elected Directors for the ensuing four years:
A. A. LOW, HORACE GRAY, A. GRACIE KING, EDWARD HAIGHT, EDGAR H. RICHARDS, B. H. HUTTON, and A. L. SOULARD.
And the following gentlemen were elected inspectors of the next election: ISAAC D. COLE, Jr., EDWARD REEN, and JAMES WILLS.
At a meeting of the Directors, held this day, DAYTON OGDEN was unanimously re-elected President. ANDREW L. SOULARD Vice-President, and J. K. VAN RENSSELAER was appointed Secretary.
J. K. VAN RENSSELAER, Secretary.

REDEMPTION OF BONDS.
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NOTICE TO BONDHOLDERS.—Sealed proposals will be received until Jan. 1, 1872, for the sale to the undersigned Trustees of $140,000 of the sinking fund bonds of the Houston and Texas Central Railway Company, also of $40,000 of the bonds of the "Western Division" of said road. Parties whose bids are accepted will be notified of the same without delay.
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TO STOCKHOLDERS OF MERCANTILE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 166 Broadway, New-York, Nov. 3, 1871.—In pursuance of a requisition from the Superintendent of the Insurance Department of the State of New-York, dated Nov. 2, 1871, the stockholders of the Mercantile Fire Insurance Company of the City of New-York are required to pay the sum of $60,000 in cash, being 20 per cent. on the capital stock, at the office of said Company, No. 166 Broadway, in the City of New-York, on or before the 2d day of December, 1871, to make good the deficiency of the capital impaired by reason of the Chicago fire.
In case of failure to pay the said assessment at or before the time above named, your stock will be reduced 20 per cent. of its par value.
WM. A. ANDERSON, President.
C. W. PARMELEE, Secretary.
By order of the Board of Directors, the transfer-books of this Company are closed until Dec. 4, 1871.
C. W. PARMELEE, Secretary.

OFFICE OF CONTINENTAL INSURANCE CO., No. 102 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, Nov. 27, 1871.
THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF this Company having resolved (on the 12th ult.) to increase its capital stock to One Million Dollars by the issue of Five Thousand additional shares of the par value of One Hundred dollars each, and over three-fourths of the stockholders of the Company having assented in writing thereto, notice is hereby given that books of subscription for the additional capital will be formally opened on the 28th inst., at noon, at this office. GEO. T. HOPE, President.
CYRUS PECK, Secretary.

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OFFICE OF THE HYDO SILVER MINING CO., No. 176 Broadway, Room No. 18, NEW-YORK, Nov. 28, 1871.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of this Company for the election of Thirteen Trustees will be held at this office on TUESDAY, Dec. 12, 1871, at 12 M.
W. D. HARRIS, Secretary.

NOTICE TO MARIPOSA TRUST CERTIFICATES.—Parties holding Mariposa Trust Certificates are hereby notified that the option to convert their certificates into the preferred stock of the Mariposa Land and Mining Company at the original rate will expire on Nov. 15; after that date an extra bonus will be charged. For further information please call at the office, No. 34 Wall-st., Room No. 4.

OFFICE OF THE MARYLAND COAL COMPANY, No. 12 TRINITY BUILDING, NEW-YORK, Nov. 20, 1871.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Stockholders of this Company for the election of Directors to serve for the ensuing year will be held at the Company's office, on TUESDAY, Dec. 12, at 12 o'clock M.
The polls will remain open from 12 M. till 2 P. M. The transfer-books will be closed from Dec. 1 to Dec. 12, inclusive.
By order of the Board,
HARRY E. ROY, Secretary.

ATLANTIC MUTUAL INSURANCE Scrip of all issues wanted by WM. C. GILMAN, No. 46 Pine-st., corner William-st.

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NO. 114 EAST 19TH-ST., NEAR UNION-SQUARE.—Just opened, this elegant house, newly and richly furnished throughout; rooms en suite and singly; private tables if desired; references.

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DIVIDENDS.

OFFICE OF CHICAGO AND NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY COMPANY, No. 52 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, Nov. 27, 1871.
A DIVIDEND OF THREE AND ONE-half (3½) per cent., less Government tax, has been declared on the preferred stock of th s Company, payable at the office of this Company, on and after Dec. 28, 1871, to the preferred stockholders, as shown by the books of the Company on the 14th day of December, 1871.
The transfer-books of the preferred stock will be closed on Thursday, Dec. 14, 1871, at the close of business, and reopened on Saturday, Dec. 30, at 10 A. M.
A. L. PRITCHARD, Treasurer.

OHIO AND MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY COMPANY, OFFICE, No. 88 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, Nov. 15, 1871.
THE SEMI-ANNUAL INTEREST DUE Dec. 1, 1871, on the preferred stock of the Ohio and Mississippi Railway Company, will be paid on and after that date, at the office of the Company, No. 88 Wall-st., New-York. The transfer-books of the preferred stock will be closed on Nov. 22, at 2 o'clock P. M., and reopened on Dec. 1, at 10 o'clock A. M.
By order of Executive and Finance Committee.
E. D. HAMMOND, Secretary.

MOBILE AND OHIO RAILROAD SECOND MORTGAGE BONDS.—The interest coupons, which matured March 1, 1871, will be paid on presentation at our office.
DUNCAN, SHERMAN & CO., No. 11 Nassau-st.

BANKING-HOUSE OF GILMAN, SON & CO., No. 47 EXCHANGE-PLACE, NEW-YORK.
THE COUPONS OF LOUISVILLE Bridge Company due Dec. 1, 1871, will be paid on presentation at our office.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—IN THE MATTER of the application of the Mayor, Aldermen and Commonalty of the City of New-York, relative to the widening and straightening of Broadway, between Thirty-fourth-street and Fifty-ninth-street, and also the making of that part of Broadway, between Thirty-second-street and Thirty-fifth-street, and that part between Forty-second-street and Forty-seventh-street, of a greater width than one hundred feet, in the City of New-York.—We, the undersigned Commissioners of Estimate and Assessment in the above-entitled matter, hereby give notice to the owner or owners, lessee or lessees, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved and unimproved lands affected by the above-entitled proceeding, that in pursuance of the fourth section of the act of the Legislature of the people of the State of New-York, entitled "An Act in relation to the widening and straightening of Broadway, in the City of New-York, and to regulate the practice in that proceeding," passed Feb. 27, 1871, we have completed our estimate and assessment in said before-entitled matter, and that the abstract of our proposed report thereon, showing the awards made for damage, and the assessments imposed for benefit in said matter, has been deposited in the office of the Department of Public Works in the City of New-York, said abstract to remain in said office open to public inspection and examination, until the 21st day of December, 1871, when our report herein, together with our said abstract, will be presented for confirmation to the Supreme Court, at a special term thereof, to be held before Hon. Albert Cardozo, Justice, at the Court-house, in the City of New-York, on said 21st day of December, 1871, at the opening of the Court.—Dated New-York, Nov. 25, 1871.
JOHN Q. JONES,
WILLIAM WOOD, } Commissioners.

CITY OF NEW-YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, BUREAU OF THE RECEIVER OF TAXES, COURT-HOUSE PARK, No. 32 CHAMBERS-ST., Nov. 1, 1871.
TO TAX-PAYERS.
Notice is hereby given that one per cent. will be added to all taxes unpaid on the 1st of December; also an additional one per cent. on Dec. 15. On all taxes remaining unpaid on Jan. 1, interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum, calculated from the date the books were received by the Receiver of Taxes to the day of payment, will be added. No money will be received after 2 o'clock P. M. Office hours from 8 A. M. to 2 P. M.
BERNARD SMYTH, Receiver.

NOTICE.—CREDITORS OF THE LATE firm of R. T. PATTERSON, BRICK & CO., of Nashville, Tenn., are requested to file their claims with the undersigned, properly authenticated, with a view to the equitable pro rata distribution of the assets.
S. M. SCOTT, Trustee.
NASHVILLE, Tenn., Nov. 24, 1871.

FINANCIAL.

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AMUSEMENTS.

ACADEMY.—NILSSON AS MIGNON.
The sixteenth and seventeenth subscription nights of the Strakosch Italian Opera Company, THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, Nov. 28, and FRIDAY, Dec. 1, at 8 o'clock P. M., and, also, sixth (6) NILSSON MATINEE, SATURDAY, Dec. 2, at 1½. Doors open at 12½.
Mlle. CHRISTINA NILSSON as MIGNON, Mlle. LEON DUVAL, Mlle. RONCONI, M. CAPOUL, M. JAMET, M. LYALL, Signor COLETTI, &c.
MAX MARETZEK, Musical Director and Conductor
Seats now at the Academy on 14th-st.; also, Nos. 701 and 114 Broadway.
Steinway's Pianos are used by the Strakosch Opera Company.
MIGNON
MONDAY, Dec. 11. Academy—Philadelphia.

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LINA EDWIN'S THEATRE, No. 720 BROADWA

RAPID TRANSIT.

Large and Enthusiastic Meeting at Harlem—Speeches by Messrs. Cary and Whitbeck.

A large and enthusiastic meeting, under the auspices of the East-side Association, in favor of rapid transit, was held last evening at the hall of the Association, corner of Third-avenue and Eighty-sixth-street. The meeting having been called to order, Mr. CHARLES CARY briefly stated that the object of the meeting was for the purpose of giving expression to the universal sentiment of this community in favor of rapid transit. After sketching the history of the two companies now in existence, the New-York City Underground Railway Company, and the Viaduct Railway Company, he urged the amalgamation of the two companies, and that they may be allowed to build such a road as an intelligent board or directors shall determine to be suitable.

Mr. R. M. HEDDEN, then offered the following resolution, which was carried unanimously:

Resolved, That we earnestly desire the construction of an underground railroad under Broadway and Fourth-avenue, from the Battery to Harlem, believing such a plan and route to be the best for the purposes of quick transit; we also believe that such a railway under Fourth-avenue would furnish the people of the East side with the most speedy relief from the present danger and destruction of life and property now caused by the steam-roads on the surface of said avenue.

Mr. WHITBECK next addressed the meeting, and stated that he had made two trips to Europe mainly to examine and get information about the viaduct and under-ground railways of London. He stated that the viaducts of that city are continuations toward its centre of the great railroad lines coming from the country, and are not devoted to local city travel at all, any more than the Hudson River and Harlem Railroads are devoted to such purpose here; that all the viaducts of London do not have as much local passenger business as the poorest horse-railroad in New-York; and so far from affording any just precedent for the construction of viaducts here, they are conspicuous examples of their utter worthlessness for quick transit in all great cities. When he, the speaker, told engineers in London of the viaduct about to be built in this City, they were incredulous, and inquired if New-York was going backwards instead of forwards. Why, they asked, do you undertake a work which will cost so much, cause such terrible damage to property, when for one-quarter of the expense, a popular paying road can be constructed where it will do no injury to any body, viz., beneath the surface of your streets? Mr. WHITBECK next described the underground railways of London, stating that they have been successful beyond the highest expectations of every body; that 310,000 passengers ride daily on those roads; that the trains run with the regularity of a great machine, and that the passengers are carried with a degree of comfort to which we in New-York are entire strangers, and at rates of fare, too, within the means of every one; the poor laborer can ride from his work in the City to his home in the suburbs for a penny. The speaker described the atmosphere of the tunnels and the ventulation as good. The old Thames Tunnel, built many years ago on the double plan, has lately been turned to under-ground railroad purposes, and this and the St. John's Wood line are now practical examples of the superiority of this over every other plan of construction, for those tunnels ventilated themselves by the action of the trains, the air in the separate tubes being forced out by the cars, and fresh air flowing in behind to fill the vacuum or partial vacuum thus created. Mr. WHITBECK stated that, standing in one of the tunnels of the St. John's Wood line, he felt the air passing when the train was nearly half a mile off, and the nearer the train came the stronger became the current.

The speaker made many inquiries in London as to the effect upon property resulting from the construction of under-ground railways and their operation when completed. There was no property in the streets traversed by those roads that was not benefited by them, the buildings were not injured by the work of construction, and the running trains produces less noise and vibration in the houses than is caused by the running of vehicles over the stone pavement in the streets. In conclusion, the speaker advocated the construction of an under-ground railroad under Broadway and Fourth-avenue, from the Battery to Harlem, as the thing New-York most wants. It should be considered an essential part of the great work of reform we now have on hand.

Mr. E. C. KORNER and several other gentlemen afterward addressed the meeting on the same subject.

Sixteenth Assembly District Union Republican Association—The Administration of President Grant Indorsed—Ex-Collector Murphy Vindicated.

A meeting of the members of the Sixteenth Assembly District Union Republican Association was held last evening at Demilt Hall, corner of Twenty-third-street and Second-avenue, Mr. ISAAC H. BAILEY in the chair.

The following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the triumph of the Republican Party in the late State election implies a hearty recognition by the people of New-York of the integrity and ability with which the Government has been administered under the Presidency of Gen. GRANT.

Resolved, That the temper of the public mind emphatically demands that the incoming Legislature shall take a new departure out of the depths of jobbing corruption, and speedy legislation into which the Empire State has so long been sinking, to the end that our misgoverned Commonwealth may be redeemed from the disgrace which several servants have inflicted upon its fair fame.

Resolved, That no member of; either political party whose character does not place him entirely above suspicion of the purpose to use his position for factional aims or personal advantage should be deemed eligible by Republicans to the Speakership of the Assembly. And that no member of either branch of the Legislature should be placed on any important Committee unless his previous record, furnishes unquestionable evidence that he will act with steadfast uprightness whether on general or party measures.

Resolved, That we cordially approve of the enactment by Congress of a bill for the promotion of civil service reform, believing that "patronage" is a source of weakness rather than of strength to the Executive; that the doctrine in politics that "to the victors belong the spoils" is vicious and demoralizing, and that honest, capable and experienced subordinate officers ought not to be proscribed for their political opinions.

The Chairman, in an able address, called the attention of the meeting to the recent action of the Republican State Convention in reference to the division in the Republican camp in this State, and their recognition of their party as the regular delegation, to the exclusion of the organization presided over by Mr. GREELEY. He expressed his sincere regret that the other branch of the Republican Party did not abide by the decision of the State Convention, for it was undeniable that it contained within its ranks men of known probity and HONESTY. He counseled a conciliatory spirit in dealing with the difficulty, begging them to be mindful of the great triumph of the last election, and it required, he said, all their united energy and power to maintain and perpetuate it. They have an overwhelming majority now in both Houses of the Legislature, and it should be its purpose to maintain the national Administration in its truthful honesty. He referred at length to the resignation of Mr. MURPHY as Collector of the Port, and the false and unwarranted slanders which had been buried against his character. He clearly explained and refuted the charge of fraud advanced against him while Government contractor during the war. He was sorry to say that, without a shadow of foundation, a local journal took up and reiterated the accusations. But Mr. MURPHY's worth had already been established beyond peradventure, and the conduct of the Chief Magistrate of the nation and the entire people attested that it was appreciated. The Chairman adverted to the brilliant administration of Gen. GRANT, and declared that he was the best President this country could boast of. The nation was satisfied with his administration, and would so declare it by his re-election in 1872. [Cheers.]

The meeting then adjourned.

The Grand Jury Investigating the City Frauds.

Mr. SAMUEL J. TILDEN was before the Grand Jury yesterday morning for further examination in relation to the Woodward frauds. The fact of the sitting of the Grand Jury on Saturday—an unusual proceeding, that body never, in the recollection of an eminent lawyer, having met upon that day, except after the riots in 1861, and on the occasion of the recent 12th of July riot—gave rise to many rumors yesterday of arrests of leading Tammany officials. The additional fact of the appearance of Messrs. TILDEN, O'CONOR and SCHULTZE on Saturday before the Jury, and Mr. TILDEN again yesterday, gave greater coloring to the stories of indictments found and warrants issued. It is said by those claiming to be conversant with the movements of the Grand Jury that the principal business of the session yesterday was the taking of testimony in the case of the new Court-house in Harlem, in which GENET is alleged to be fraudulently concerned. But few witnesses were examined, though the session of the Jury was protracted. One of the witnesses examined yesterday, it is said, was Mr. LEVI P. ADAMS, the architect of the Harlem Court-house. Much confidence is felt in some legal circles favorable to Mr. Tilden that the action of the Grand Jury upon the Ring frauds will result in bringing the Municipal robbers before the bar of justice. The charge of Judge BEDFORD, couched in such unmistakable language, it is thought can hardly leave a doubt in the minds of the jurors as to their plain duty to make every effort with what evidence they have in reach, and what with honest trial they can obtain, to bring in an indictment against the criminals now at large. Rumors of the arrest of GENET and City Chamberlain BRADLEY were flying around at a late hour in the afternoon, but they were found to be groundless. It was also rumored that warrants were issued upon complaint of the Bureau of Municipal Correction for the arrest of PETER B. SWEENY and Mayor HALL upon the charge of being concerned in the Woodward frauds. Nothing could be learned of the truth of the rumor, further than that there was a probability of such action being taken.

MAKE AN EXAMPLE OF THEM.

Inspectors of Election Arraigned for Fraudulent Acts on Election Day—Judge Bixby Admits Them to Bail.

Immediately after the election the Apollo Hall Reform Democratic Executive Committee appointed a special committee to prosecute those guilty of election frauds. Since that time HENRY L. CLINTON and A. R. LAWRENCE, Jr., counsel for the Committee, have received a great many complaints against inspectors of election and other persons who are charged with ballot-box stuffing, repeating, fraudulent counting, and other offenses against the Election law. Counsel have laid a number of complaints before Judge BIXBY, of the Yorkville Police Court, who has issued warrants against the parties charged. Yesterday afternoon a number of these inspectors were arrested and brought before him. Messrs. CLINTON and LAWRENCE appeared as counsel for the prosecution.

CHRISTOPHER BARRY, who was an inspector in the Eighth Election District of the Seventh Ward, is charged with having fraudulently and corruptly miscounted the votes cast for WILLIAM MCMAHON, Democratic Reform candidate for Assembly in the Fourth Assembly District.

JOHN REILLY, who was an inspector and canvasser in the Ninth District of the Seventh Ward, is charged with having refused to count the ballots for Assemblymen at all, and with other corrupt practices.

WILLIAM J. O'CONOR, who was an inspector and canvasser in the Sixth Election District of the Seventh Ward, is charged with having fraudulently and corruptly refused to permit the watcher designated by WILLIAM MCMAHON, Reform candidate for Assembly, to witness the canvassing of the ballots, and with having fraudulently and corruptly refused to count the ballots for JOHN J. BLAIR, the Tammany candidate for Assembly in that district, and with having announced the pretended result without counting the ballots at all.

JAMES REILLY, an inspector and canvasser in the Second District of the Seventh Ward, is charged with the same offense substantially as O'CONOR.

It is claimed that the inspectors gave MCMAHON a much less number of votes than he received, and that they omitted and refused to count BLAIR'S vote so that they might give him (BLAIR) the difference between the vote given to MCMAHON and the entire number of voters on the poll lists.

The offenses charged against these persons are felonies, and punishable by imprisonment in the State Prison. Judge BIXBY held these parties in the sum of $2,000 each. The Reform Committee are determined that these, and all well-founded complaints for violations of the Election law, shall be prosecuted promptly and vigorously.

Lieut.-Gov. Oscar J. Dunn—Cause of His Death—Some Reminiscences of His Career.

Dr. E. D. BEACH, who attended the late Lieut.-Gov. OSCAR J. DUNN, of Louisiana, during his last illness, has made the following statement of the cause of his death, &c.:

Lieut.-Gov. DUNN died of congestion of the brain. He had been unwell for some weeks, having pulmonery catarrh (some oppression in breathing) but did not consult any physician; took some Cherry Pectoral, &c. On Monday he sent for me; saw him about 1 P. M.; prescribed some medicine and local applications, which relieved him; rested quite well between 11 and 12 o'clock; night, sent for again; appeared in rather heavy slumber; called again about 2 A. M.; much changed; brain evidently much affected; asked for counsel; Dr. D'AQUIN called; diagnosis unfavorable; no treatment relieved; cause, excitement, nervous exhaustion, and not paying prompt attention to serious disorders. E. D. BEACH, M. D.

Of Lieut.-Gov. DUNN the New-Orleans *Bee* thus speaks in its issue of Thursday morning last, the day after his death:

"He was forty-six years of age, and a native of this city. He was born free, but his father's name is unknown. His mother kept lodging-rooms, which were generally occupied by actors and actresses, and she lived with a mulatto named DUNN as his wife, from whom the deceased took his name, and who was stage carpenter in the late JAMES H. CALDWELL'S Camp-street Theatre. OSCAR, in his boyhood, was apprenticed to Messrs. WILSON & PATTERSON, master plasterers, who did an extensive business in their day. He served out his apprenticeship and worked some time at the trade, but gave it up many years ago. By intercourse, at his mother's house, with dramatic and lyric artists, connected with the stage, he obtained whatever knowledge of letters he had, and learned something of elocution. This was the school in which he acquired that deliberation of utterance and rather impressive style of speaking which distinguished him above all others of his people here who have come before the public. In the same school he also became a musician, and is said to have displayed in that, as in elocutionary arts, a notable aptitude. His musical attainments he turned to profitable account. He quitted the plastering business and took to music teaching, which he followed as a vocation until he became a public officer. In the capacity of music teacher he found patronage among the free people of his caste, who had the means of educating their children in accomplishments, and, long before the war occurred which resulted in the elevation of his race to the dignity of citizenship, he was regarded as a well-behaved, intelligent person, who had the respect for himself, which is the best assurance of respect for what is due to others."

An Office-Seeker Who Electioneered a Day Too Late.

From the Wathena (Kansas) Reporter, Nov. 28.

Our worthy County Surveyor elect is a farmer and a man who tends strictly to business. He has previously filled this honorable position four or five terms, and the people generally have perfect confidence in both his ability and integrity. He is a Republican of the "first water." In the recent contest, as he felt a deep interest in the success of the party, and as the Democrats were making a grand flourish, he thought it would not be amiss to electioneer a little in the interest of the regular ticket. Accordingly, with that determination, on the morning of Nov. 8, with a wagon-load of turnips to sell, he wended his way to Wathena. Having disposed of his turnips, he proceeded to search out one of his old friends, to whom he confided his plans, and asked of him his co-operation and support. The friend was not a little surprised as well as amused, telling him that he was probably a little behind hand, as the election had occurred the day before, and that he was no doubt already elected by a handsome majority. It is useless to say that our friend was somewhat astonished, and not a little annoyed by the laugh that was indulged in over the "good joke." He struck out for home, greatly relieved in mind over the result of the election, which he thought was to occur the next week.

Alleged Burglary at Tiffany's.

Early yesterday morning, a burglar, named FRANCIS BRODE, was arrested by Patrolman MEADE, Twenty-ninth Precinct, as he was leaving the establishment of TIFFANY & CO., in Union-square. It is alleged that he gained access to the building through an upper window from the window of a room he had taken at the Spingler House, and had got together a large amount of booty, when he made a noise which awakened one of several watchmen in the house, and was forced to fly, in doing which he ran into the clutches of the patrolman. He was arraigned at the Jefferson Market Court and was remanded.

Roman Catholic Outrage.

On Sunday afternoon, two young men of the Washington Heights Christian Association were visiting and distributing tracts in the neighborhood of High Bridge, when they were attacked, knocked down, and otherwise maltreated, by some Roman Catholic Irishmen. This is the district which recently returned THOS. C. FIELDS to the Assembly, and these ruffians are a fair specimen of his supporters and their manners.

The Department of Public Works.

It was rumored yesterday that Mr. FRANCIS M. BIXBY had been appointed head of the Department of Public Works, in place of WM. M. TWEED. The Mayor denied that any appointment had been made. It is understood, however, that Mr. BIXBY was offered the position some time ago, and that TWEED will resign to make way for him. Mr. BIXBY is a large owner of real estate, and also keeps several extensive storage warehouses in the lower part of the City.

The Medical Society of New-York—A Member Expelled.

The Medical Society of the County of New-York some time ago charged one of its members, Dr. ANTHONY RUPPANER, with violation of the Society's rules, and a committee was appointed to make a report on the subject. Dr. RUPPANER a few weeks ago applied to Judge BARNARD for an order prohibiting the committee from making their report. The order was granted, and at a meeting of the Society last evening Dr. RUPPANER was unanimously expelled.

Ex-Controller Connolly Still in Custody.

Ex-Controller CONNOLLY still remains at the New-York Hotel, in custody of Deputy Sheriffs. He did not succeed yesterday in obtaining the requisite amount of bail, although the most strenuous efforts were made to obtain it. It is said that Mr. GEORGE HOFFMAN has entered bonds to the amount of $200,000; OWEN MCGOVERN, $200,000; WASHINGTON B. CONNOLLY, $100,000; THOMAS B. CONNOLLY, $100,000; CHAS. CONNOLLY, $200,000.

LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

NEW-YORK.

Yesterday about 100 of the seamen belonging to the Russian squadron, now in the harbor, visited the City.

Rev. A. H. GESNER, rector of Grace Church, West Farms, N. Y., is suffering from a stroke of paralysis.

The New-York Infant Asylum, at No. 24 Clinton-place, was opened yesterday for the reception of patients.

MICHAEL CARROLL, who some days ago fell from the rigging of the schooner *Seguine*, died yesterday at Bellevue Hospital.

The Chamber of Commerce has received $2,162 52 additional subscriptions for the relief of the sufferers of the West.

The French Society Union Fraternelle has raised by subscription among its members $392 18 for the Chicago sufferers.

Jackson Lodge No. 78, of the Order of Hermanus Sons, gave an entertainment at the Casino, in Houston-street, last evening.

Rev. H. M. GALLAHER will lecture this evening in St. Peter's Hall, West Twentieth-street, on "America and Americans."

JOHN SUOBER, a German, died yesterday at No. 83 Third-street, from an injury received on Tuesday last by an accidental fall.

The German Women's Aid Association Teutonia celebrated its third anniversary at Aikle's Hall, in Third-avenue, yesterday.

Prof. DOREMUS delivers his second lecture on "Modern Science" this evening, at the hall of the Young Men's Christian Association.

Judge BEDFORD was engaged yesterday in preparing his decision in the Baulch and Hagerty case. It will be rendered today or to-morrow.

We have received $5 from "A Clerk," for the Children's Aid Society, which has been forwarded to Mr. C. L. BRACE, the Secretary.

The hearing of the telegraph patent suit in the United States Circuit Court still stands in the way of the trial of Alderman JAMES IRVING.

The commencement of the great Government suit against WELD & CO., for the recovery of $40,000, has been put over until the 18th prox.

CHARLES HOFFMAN, aged fifteen years, of No. 4 Bayard-street, yesterday fell through the hatchway of No. 22 Warren-street, and was seriously injured.

A meeting of the depositors of the Stuyvesant Bank will be held this evening, at 5 o'clock, at the Sinclair House, corner of Broadway and Eighth-street.

Yesterday morning a fire occurred in the basement of No. 527 Sixth-avenue, occupied as a trunk-store by LUKE KELLY, but only slight damage was done.

A reception will take place today at 1½ P. M. in the female department of Grammar School No. 48, at Twenty-eighth-street, near Sixth-avenue.

Rev. E. H. CHAPIN, D. D., will lecture this evening at Plymouth Baptist Church, Fifty-first-street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, on "The Orders of Nobility."

The new Turn Hall in Fourth-street, is fast nearing its completion. The new hall will include a theatre, a gymnasium and several meeting and club-rooms.

The tug-boat *George Farrell*, Capt. BROWN, while off Sandy Hook, yesterday, was run into and sunk by a bark outward bound. The officers and crew were rescued by a pilot-boat.

CLAUS TINKER was committed yesterday at the Tombs Police Court, on a charge of firing a revolver at BERNARD FLANAGAN. The shot, however, did not take effect.

GEO. BUMER, a German, died yesterday at No. 145 East Houston-street, from injuries received some days ago by falling through the hatchway of No. 376 Broadway.

At Essex Market Police Court, yesterday, ROBERT CURTIS was charged with assaulting his mother, CATHERINE CURTIS, who resides at No. 4 Suffolk-street. He was committed for trial.

The Board of Canvassers have made return to Judge BRADY that obedience has been rendered to the mandamus ordering them to count the votes for Aldermen and Assistant Aldermen.

An Eleventh Ward German Reform Association was organized last evening at No. 625 Fifth-street. Mr. A. M. PETSHAW was elected temporary Chairman, and Mr. JACOB SPIRO, Secretary.

The revenue tax on gas is twenty-five cents per 1,000 feet, not twenty-five per cent., as erroneously stated in yesterday's TIMES. The tax amounts to about seven per cent. on gas at $3 50 per 1,000 feet.

BERNARD HIRSON was thrown from his ash-cart yesterday in Thirty-fifth-street, near Tenth-avenue, by a collision with a truck, and was so seriously injured that he was taken to Bellevue Hospital.

MITCHELL GIBNEY, a liquor-dealer on Cortlandt-street, New-York, last evening, committed suicide by jumping from the fourth-story window of his residence, No. 151 Jersey-avenue, Jersey City.

STEPHEN J. CARPENTER, a boy in the employ of Dr. H. M. WHITE, was arrested yesterday on a charge of forging the latter's name to a Post-office order for $4 50. The accused was held by Commissioner SHIELDS.

The Treasurer of the Milwaukee Relief Committee acknowledges the receipt of $2,500 from the New-York Gold Exchange, and Gov. BALDWIN, of Michigan, acknowledges a similar amount from the sames source.

The vocal society Arminia gave its ninth annual ball at the Germania Assembly Rooms, last evening, which was largely attended by the friends of this popular organization, and fully enjoyed by all participating.

The ninth anniversary of the First German Women's Benevolent Association was celebrated last evening at the Harmonic Rooms, in Essex-street, by a series of social festivities, which were wound up by a ball.

In the Eleventh Ward a permanent German Reform Association was completed last evening, when the following officers were elected: President, LOUIS SCHRADZT; Vice-President, F. G. BECK; Secretary, M. ROTHSCHILD.

Judge BEDEORD will render a decision tomorrow morning on the question of quashing the indictments against BAULCH and HAGGERTY, who are now in custody on a charge of stealing vouchers from the Controller's office.

Glanders and farcy are spreading among horses in this City. On every sale day at the horse market, at Sixty-third-street and Second-avenue, animals are detected suffering from one or the other of these dreadful distempers.

The Committee have issued an appeal for funds to support the "Children's Fold," a most peserving institution at No. 437 East Fifty-eighth-street. At least $1,000 more will be needed to meet all expenses to Jan. 1, 1872.

The Schiller Lodge No. 40, of the Order of Hermanns Sons, has contributed $50 toward the Chicago relief fund. A similar sum has been contributed for the same object by the Veteran Society of the veterans of the Turner Regiment.

At a special meeting of the Second Assembly District Republican Association last evening, at No. 181 Chatham-street, the amendments to the constitution suggested by the Central Committee were adopted after considerable discussion.

GEORGE ELY, a boarder at the Astor House, while going on board the Wilmington steamer at Pier No. 8 North River last evening fell overboard but was rescued by Roundsman WATTS and Patrolman GORMAN, Twenty-seventh Precinct.

Rev. Dr. JOSEPH P. THOMPSON, who sailed for Europe in the steamer *Weser*, on Saturday, will land at Southampton and proceed to Liverpool to convey to Rev. WILLIAM TAYLOR the call of the Broadway Tabernacle Church and society.

Mr. JAMES H. NICHOLSON, of the Southern Press, at present in this City, is in possession of a snuff-box carved from the horn of an ox with a scalping-knife and tomahawk by the celebrated hunter WILLIAM PRITCHARD, the companion of DANIEL BOONE.

Hon. J. S. DIEHL, late United States Consul at Java, yesterday lectured before the Methodist Preachers' Association on the "Rivers Euphrates, Tigris, Jordan and Nile; Garden of Eden, Nineveh, the Tombs of Ezra, Ezekiel, Jonah, Noah, Abraham."

Gen. WM. MAHONE, of Virginia; Col. E. C. BOUDINOT, of the Cherokee Nation; Lieut.-Commander F. R. SMITH, of the United States Navy; United States Senator ALEX. RAMSEY, of Minnesota, and Gens. E. F. WINSLOW, of St. Louis, and H. T. REID, of Keokuk, are at the St. Nicholas Hotel.

At a meeting of the Republicans of Yorkville on Saturday, it was decided to establish a reading-room for the use of the Republicans of the district. An organization having been effected, the following officers were elected: M. A. REED, President; A. DEY, Secretary, and M. SIMMONS Treasurer.

The first public meeting of the West Side Association will be held at the West Side Hall, Broadway, corner of Forty-fourth-street, on Friday evening next at 7½ o'clock. Hon. FERNANDO WOOD, Mr. WILLIAM A. WHITEBECK and Mr. WILLIAM R. MONTIER will deliver addresses.

The rumor that Rev. WM. H. BOOLE has withdrawn from the Water-street Home for Women is untrue. He has not only not withdrawn, but has no intention of doing so, being as actively interested as ever. Under his able leadership, Rev. ROBERT RODEN is the Superintendent of all the details of the work.

The charge against the proprietors of the liquor-store at No. 144 Bleecker-street, of doing business without a license, was disproved, yesterday, and the accused were discharged by Commissioner SHIELDS, and HENRY KRONE, one of the proprietors, was subsequently arrested on a charge of concealing smuggled goods, and was held for examination.

Commissioners MANIERRE and BARR investigated eighteen complaints against patrolmen, yesterday. Charges against Officers MICHAEL BARRY, OWEN RODGERS, WM. H. TRAVIS, and MICHAEL J. HART, of the Sixteenth Precinct, and against Roundsman PATRICK J. MULDOON, of the Twenty-sixth Precinct, were referred to the Board.

LONG ISLAND.

Agitation has already commenced for a city charter for Flushing, College Point and Whitestone.

The new church at Port Washington was entered, on Saturday night, by burglars, and robbed of nearly all its valuables, including carpets, &c.

An elopement extraordinary is just now the scandal of Ravenswood, a married woman of thirty-five having run off with a Williamsburg youth of twenty-two.

STATEN ISLAND.

In Richmond County there are 175 colored voters, and about seventy-five tax-payers among them.

The ladies in the vicinity of New-Dorp are making great exertions, by subscription, to raise funds to build a new Baptist Chapel at that place.

The steam-ship *Spain* is still detained by the Health Officer at the Upper Quarantine grounds, having a few cases of small-pox on board.

The new church at Pleasant Plain, the corner-stone of which was laid on the 18th inst., is now being inclosed and will be finished about the 1st of January, at a cost of $7,000.

NEW-JERSEY.

The Episcopal Church at Belleville has been robbed by burglars of $100 worth of carpets.

The Pryor monument, to be erected at Princeton by the classmates of the late Theodoric B. Pryor, is to cost $2,000.

The work on the new wings of the State House at Trenton is nearly completed, and the new chambers will be entirely finished in time for the meeting of the Legislature.

While attempting to get off the cars at Pamrapo, on Saturday night, a man named JOHN MCGUIRE fell under the wheels. One foot was taken off and other injuries were received.

Bishop ODENHEIMER, of the diocese of New-Jersey, has requested that collections for the relief of the Protestant Episcopal churches of Chicago, be taken throughout the State, on Thanksgiving Day.

On Monday night burglars entered the carpenter-shop of ANDREW MCCULLOUGH, on Newark-avenue, Jersey City, and carried away considerable property. THOMAS SNOWDEN was arrested on suspicion.

LUKE MADIGAN, an Elizabeth rough, was committed yesterday upon a charge of attempted murder. Mrs. MARY DUNN, of No. 40 Rector-street, Elizabeth, charged him with having entered the bedroom in which herself and her husband were sleeping, armed with a butcher's knife, and attacked DUNN with intent to take his life, which he had previously threatened.

ARMY AND NAVY RECORD.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Assistant Surgeon Mackie has been ordered to the New-York Naval Hospital.

[Advertisement.]

A.—KNOX has been very successful in his Winter hats, which are made to conform to the requirements of the season as much as hat can possibly do. His fur caps, however, are just the thing, and, being tastefully designed and well constructed, as well as picturesque and comfortable, are rapidly becoming popular, and, if we mistake not, will soon be on every head. His collars correspond with his caps, and together fortify their wearers against the incursions of Borees, who cannot stand any chance against the tactics of KNOX.

Movements of Ocean Steamers.

FOR EUROPE.

Allemannia	Nov. 28.	New-York	Hamburg.
Scotia	Nov. 29.	New-York	Liverpool.
Idaho	Nov. 29.	New-York	Liverpool.
Iowa	Nov. 29.	New-York	Liverpool.
Manhattan	Dec. 1.	New-York	Glasgow.
Britannia	Dec. 2.	New-York	Glasgow.
City of London	Dec. 2.	New-York	Liverpool.
Oceanic	Dec. 2.	New-York	Liverpool.
Ville de Paris	Dec. 2.	New-York	Havre.
Deutschland	Dec. 2.	New-York	Bremen.
Spain	Dec. 2.	New-York	Livorpool.
Helvetia	Dec. 2.	New-York	Glasgow.

FOR ASPINWALL, RIO, &C.

Ocean Queen	Nov. 29.	New-York	Aspinwall.
Columbia	Nov. 30.	New-York	Havana.
Cleopatra	Dec. 2.	New-York	Havana.

Closing of Foreign Mails at Post-Office.

TUESDAY.

For Europe, via Plymouth, Cherbourg and Hamburg, by the *Allemannia*, at 11 A. M., with a supplementary mail for double-paid letters only on the pier, at the foot of Third-street, in Hoboken, until 1:10 P. M.....For Havana, by the *C. W. Lord*, (specially marked for that steamer,) at 2 P. M.

WEDNESDAY.

For Europe, via Queenstown and Liverpool, by the *Idaho*, at 5 A. M.....For Aspinwall, Panama, and South Pacific and Central American ports, by the *Ocean Queen*, at 10 A. M.....For Bermuda, W. I., by the *San Francisco*, at 11 A. M.

Closing of Domestic Mails.

North, Poughkeepsie Way	5 A. M.; 2 P. M.
North, through via H. R. R. R. and New-York Central	5 A. M.; 4:00, 9 P. M.
North Way, via Harlem R. R.	5 A. M.; 1:30 P. M.
East, via New-Haven	5 A. M.; 1:30, 6 P. M.
East, via Newport	4 P. M.
East, New-Haven Way	5 A. M.; 2:30 P. M.
East, Fall River, rail	6 P. M.
South, Through	7 A. M.; 7:30 P. M.
Philadelphia Way	5 A. M.; 3:00 P. M.
West Mail, through to Harrisburg, Pittsburg, Cincinnati, St. Louis, Louisville, Indianapolis, Columbus, Chicago, St. Paul, St. Joseph, Salt Lake and Denver	7 A. M.; 3:00 P. M.
West Mail, through to Cleveland, Toledo, and by A. and G. Western R. R. to Franklin and Meadville, Penn., &c.	5 A. M.; 4:30 P. M.

MINIATURE ALMANAC—THIS DAY.

Sun rises.....7:02 | Sun sets.....4:34 | Moon rises..5:48

HIGH WATER—THIS DAY.

Sandy Hook...8:09 | Gov. Island..8:58 | Hell Gate..10:00

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

NEW-YORK....MONDAY, Nov. 27.

Cleared.

Steam-ships Erie, Slocum, Rio Janeiro, &c., W. R. Garrison & Co; E. C. Biddle, McCue, Philadelphia; Frank, Pierce, Philadelphia; Franconia, Bragg, Portland.

Barks Queen of Scots, (Br.,) Smith, Antwerp, J. F. Whitney & Co.; Mary Lawton, (Br.,) Rose, Havre. Boyd & Hicken; Luz, (Span.,) Moran, Cadiz, Funch, Edye & Co.

Brigs Ilex, (Nor.,) Sallicoth, Havre, Funch, Eyde & Co.; H. M. Rowley, New-Orleans, R. H. Drummond & Co.

Schr. J. W. Dodge, Taylor, St. Pierre, (Mart.,) H. A. Susan & Sons; A. L. Fith, Yates, St. Kitts, Jones & Lough; Phebe, Hewitt, Havana, Dolimer, Potter & Co; Ricardo Barros, Newton, Mayaguez, B. J. Wenberg; Saarbruck, Clark, Demerara, F. A. Whitney; J. J. Bowers, Livingston, Tom's River.

Sloop Fred Brown, Ryder, Providence.

Arrived.

Steam-ship Dorian, (Br.,) Young, Genoa, Leghorn Oct. 24, Marseilles 26th, Denia Nov. 1, Gibraltar Nov. 4, with mdse. and passengers to Henderson Bros. From Nov. 6 to the 13th, had variable winds from S. W. to N. W. with a continual swell; Nov. 16, lat. 42 19, lon. 41 17, experienced a heavy gale of wind from N. W. with heavy squalls and a very high sea. Nov. 17 and 18 continual gales from S. W. to N. W. alternately with a heavy sea; Nov. 25 experienced a very heavy gale from W. to N. W.; Nov. 26, 11 A. M., received a pilot from boat No. 13, 4¾ P. M. passed a full-rigged ship showing signal flags Q. C. L. P.; at 5¼ P. M., sighted Fire Island Light.

Steam-ship Norway, (Br.,) Mylius, Denia Nov. 1 and Malaga 9th, with fruit to Henderson Bros. Passed Gibraltar Nov. 10, and since had fine weather.

Steam-ship Wm. P. Clyde, Drew, Richmond, City Point and Norfolk, with mdse. and passengers to Washington & Co.

Ship Sonntag, (of Stockton,) Harriman, San Francisco July 9, with mdse. to Geo. D. Sutton & Co. Crossed the equator in the Pacific Aug. 12, in lon. 119 48; passed Cape Horn Sept. 25, and crossed the equator in the Atlantic Oct. 30, in lon. 36 53; has had light baffling winds and fine weather the entire passage, and been 4 da. N. of Hatteres. Sept. 28, lat. 42 26, lon. 35 20, exchanged signals with ship Remic, (Br.,) bound S.

Ship Hope, Hancock, Newport, England, 42 da., with railway iron to order—vessel to R. P. Buck & Co. Made the northern passage and had westerly gales to the Banks; Nov. 26, 100 miles E. of Sandy Hook, passed bark Gertrude N. G. from Philadelphia, for Liverpool; same time, bark Templar, hence for Genoa.

Ship Magdalene, (N. G.,) Henke, Bremen Oct. 4, with mdse. and passagers, to Chas. Luling & Co. Is anchored in the lower Bay.

Bark Adler, (N. G.,) Siemsann, Barrow, Eng., 47 da., via Philadelphia, in ballast to order—vessel to Funch, Edye & Co.

Brig Sarah A. Holbrook, (Dan.,) Tuthill, Port Spain, Trinidad, 20 da., with asphaltum to Stokes & Taylor—vessel to master. Has had strong N. E. gales the entire passage, and been 4 da. N. of Hatteras; Nov. 15, lat. 26 48, lon. 70 40, spoke brig Harriet, from Porto Rico, for Baltimore.

Brig Emily, (of Shoreham,) Graves, Shields 56 da., with mdse. to order—vessel to S. L. Merchant & Co. Came the northern passage, and had westerly gales the entire passage, and been 15 da. W. of the Banks.

Brig Guiding Star, Rogers, Pensacola 20 da., with lumber to W. A. Parks & Co.—vessel to Thompson & Hunter. Has been 6 da. N. of Hatteras, with strong head winds.

Brig Amlicare, (Ital.,) Romano, Marseilles 75 da., with mdse. to order—vessel to Funch, Edye & Co. Passed Gibraltar Oct. 7; came the southern passage, and had strong variable winds throughout the entire passage, and been 27 da. W. of Bermuda.

Brig Pedro, Baurs, Annetta Bay, Jam., 21 da., with logwood and sugar to A. H. Salomon & Co.—vessel to Warren, Ray & Co. Left no vessels. Has had strong northerly gales the entire passage, and been 5 da. N. of Hatteras.

Schr. Vesta, Pinkham, Apalachicola, 18 da. with yellow pine to Snow & Richardson—vessel to Stevens & Soule. Has had fine weather the entire passage, and been 4 da. N. of Hatteras.

Schr. Mollie, Plummer, Old Harbor, Jam., 22 da., with logwood to S. de Cordova—vessel to Jed. Frye & Co.; left no vessels; has had strong northerly gales the entire passage, and been 5 days N. of Hatteras; Nov. 18, lat. 32 lon. 79, passed a vessel bottom up, apparently a schooner of about 200 tons burden; it being night, could not ascertain any further particulars.

Schr. Sam Weller, of Brixham, Sarwell, Malaga, 49 da., with fruit to order—vessel to George F. Bulley; passed Gibraltar Oct. 16, and had fine weather up to Bermuda, and been 14 da. from thence with strong N. and N. W. winds.

Schr. Electric, Murray, Corpus Christi 17 da., with hides, &c., to Fossett, Benedict & Co. Has had heavy weather, and been 5 da. N. of Hatteras.

Schr. A. M. Campbell, Dennison, Pensacola 19 da., with yellow pine to W. H. Parks & Co.—vessel to J. D. Fish. Has been 5 da. N. of Hatteras, with heavy head winds.

Schr. L. A. Rose, Brown, Hamilton, N. C., 15 da., with lumber to Master. Is bound to Providence, and proceeded.

Schr. Josephine B. Knowles, Merritt, Addison, with lumber to Chase, Talbot & Co.

Schr. Minnetta, Crocker, Gonaives 17 da., with coffee and logwood to Richard Thackary—vessel to James E. Ward & Co.

Schr. Pedro A. Grau, (of Philadelphia,) Lake, Wilmington, N. C., 13 da., with naval stores to Ball & Co.

Schr. P. A. Sanders, Smith, Georgetown, D. C., 6 da., with coal to Bremen Steam-ship Co.

Schr. Clara, Cox, Georgetown, D. C., 5 da., with coal to American Coal Co.

Schr. Herschel, Chambers, Georgetown, D. C., with coal to American Coal Co.

Schr. Adaliza, Loveland, Virginia.

Schr. Isle of Pine, Scull, Virginia.

Schr. J. S. Irvina, Ingersoll, Virginia.

Schr. Only Daughter, Healey, Virginia.

Schr. Alethea, Darby, Virginia.

Schr. J. Kelsey, Stillman, Virginia.

Schr. J. H. Rapp, Cole, Virginia.

Schr. Denie Hastings, Tilden, Virginia.

Schr. Victory, Rose, Virginia.

Schr. Crisis, Owens, Virginia.

Schr. B. R. Hall, Drisco, Virginia.

WIND—Sundown, moderate, N., clear.

By Telegraph.

BOSTON, Nov. 27.—Arr. steamers Norman, from Philadelphia; Neptune, from New-York; ship Hampton Court, from London; barks Flower of Moray, from Denia; Fanny At